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### STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers of Stock, Crop, Etc.—  
Turf Notes.

Talbot Bros. captured a \$250 purse,  
one mile, in 1:43, Saturday at Newport,  
with Eglita. Tiger Tarr's Aimee  
Goodwin ran second in the third race.

The Sockman, a three-year-old colt by  
Sir Dixon, owned by Turney Bros., of  
this city, won a \$250 purse Thursday at  
Nashville. The mile was run in 1:43.

Mrs. Emma C. Ross, of New Orleans,  
sold to Mrs. J. D. Neet, of Versailles,  
her farm of 175 acres one and a quarter  
miles south of Versailles, for \$14,000, or  
\$80 an acre.

Dr. Catlett, Turney Bros.' Kentucky  
Derby candidate, made his first start of  
the season Friday at Nashville, winning  
the Greenbrier Stakes, value \$800, in  
easy style. He ran the mile, with 115  
pounds up, in 1:41, ridden by R. Wil-  
liams. Jack Donohue, also owned by  
Turney Bros., ran second in a \$250 purse.  
Ed. Simms' Cuba Free, an even money  
favorite, won the first race on the card,  
a \$250 purse. Turney Bros. won a purse  
Saturday with Tillo, by Leonatus—  
Puritan Lass. The purse was \$250, and  
Tillo ran the mile in 1:41.

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J. T. HINTON can suit you in wall-  
papers. Any style desired and at prices  
that are just right. Call in and see them.

### MILLERSBURG.

News Notes Gathered In And About The  
"Burg."

Miss Elizabeth B-st. of Mason, re-  
turned home, Saturday.

Born—Saturday to the wife of For-  
rest Brooks, a daughter.

Mr. Wm. Purnell and wife, of Paris,  
visited relatives here, Friday.

Wm. Carpenter visited his brother,  
Hiram, on Cane Ridge, Saturday.

Jas. Woolums and wife visited Mrs.  
Ben Robinson, in Carlisle, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Conway went to  
Lexington, yesterday, to visit friends.

Mr. Jas. Cray and family came up  
Saturday from Mt. Olivet, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Mary McClintock, of Richmond,  
is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. S.  
Allen.

Miss Warford, of Hamilton College,  
visited her parents here, Saturday and  
Sunday.

The Methodist ladies netted twenty  
dollars at their strawberry supper Fri-  
day night.

Messrs. Albert Hawes and T. P.  
Wadell have gone to Swango Springs to  
rusticate.

Mr. Herbert Tabb, of Mt. Sterling,  
was the guest of Jos. and Jas. McClel-  
land, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rogers, of North  
Middletown, were guests of Mrs. Owen  
Ingels, Friday.

The Millersburg base-ball team was  
defeated Saturday at Ruddle's Mills by a  
score of 14 to 3.

Mr. Simm Doty caught a thirteen-  
pound and a twenty-one pound carp, at  
the dam, last week.

Mrs. D. R. Kimbrough, of Cynthiana,  
is the guest of her father, Mr. John  
Jameson and family.

Miss Mattie Power was home Satur-  
day and Sunday on a visit from her  
school, at Pleasant Green.

Mr. Wallace Shannon took about  
twenty of the young folks on a hay ride  
to Blue Licks, Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. McClelland and Mrs. Geo.  
Baird, of Mt. Sterling, were guests of  
Mrs. Martha McClelland, Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Ballinger and family, of  
Avon, visited her father, Lewis Merri-  
mee and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Geo. W. Bain will lecture at the new  
Methodist Church, on Thursday. Sub-  
ject, "The Old Man and the New  
Woman."

Jas. W. Conway bought 35 fine grade  
cows last week, for W. B. Kidd, of Win-  
chester. The cows will be shipped to  
Lexington.

Mrs. Eliza Corrington returned home  
last week from a visit to Hot Springs  
and Memphis, where she spent the Win-  
ter with her three sons, Joe, Lee and  
Owen Corrington.

Miss Lucy Allen and Mr. Sanford  
Allen entertained at tea, Friday, the  
following young ladies: Misses Wood,  
Anna E. Bright, Miss Vaughn; Messrs.  
Ashby Leer, B. Howard, J. Will Clark  
and Dorsey Ray.

The carpet display at J. T. Hinton's  
equals any in Kentucky. The low prices  
will interest any buyer. Look them  
over.

You can afford to buy just the style  
straw matting you want at J. T.  
Hinton's. He has roll after roll of mat-  
tings—all beautiful patterns—at low  
prices.

Wright's Celery Tea cures constipa-  
tion, sick headaches. 25c at druggists.

### GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Theatrical And Otherwise—Remarks In  
The Foyer.

#### SHIP AHOY.

A most delightful evening is in store  
for all who go to the Paris Grand Opera  
House to-night to witness the beautiful  
nautical comic opera "Ship Ahoy." It  
will be produced by Lexington's clever-  
est amateurs, assisted by Misses Jennie  
L'Hommiedien and Lillian Morecraft,  
two of Cincinnati's gifted vocalists.  
The opera has been diligently rehearsed  
under the direction of Mr. August  
Gutzeit, which is a guarantee that it  
will be given in good style.  
The opera will doubtless be quite a  
society event, and it is confidently ex-  
pected that a large audience will see the  
opera. The Paris friends of Mr.  
Gutzeit will no doubt give him and his  
company a hearty welcome. No thea-  
tre-goer should miss "Ship Ahoy"—it  
will be pretty, light, airy and full of  
beautiful songs. Reserved seats on sale  
at Brooks'.

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James Lane Allen's new book "The  
Choir Invisible" has made its appear-  
ance.

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down. You are especially invited to in-  
spect the carpets and inquire prices.

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And Therefore The Best Work.

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work just depend upon the Bourbon  
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latest additions are: A high-graded shirt-  
starcher, which precludes all injury to  
the most delicate fabric and insures uni-  
form work; and, a new collar and cuff  
ironer which enables us to give either a  
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dows—see them.

### Dissolution Of Partnership

The partnership of Drs. Roberts &  
Ussery is by mutual consent dissolved.  
All accounts of the firm are payable  
to Dr. Roberts and he assumes the in-  
debtedness of the firm.

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H. H. ROBERTS.

April 30, 1897.

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large amount of extra fine Fresh  
Cream—the product of his noted pre-  
mium cows.

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our shop, on Main, between Sixth and  
Seventh, a supply of Fresh Cream which  
we will retail in any desired quantity,  
at market price.

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Call and see us before selling.  
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PARIS, KY.**



## A MESSAGE

## Asking for Information for Facts Connected With Commerce.

Chairman Dingley Has a Long Conference With the President—Senate Committee Seeking Information in Regard to Merits of Amended Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The president Thursday sent to the senate a message in response to a resolution asking for all information in the department of state concerning tariffs, taxes, exports and imports and in fact everything connected with commerce. The message transmits a letter from the secretary of state transmitting such information as has been furnished the bureau of statistics through consular reports. It is hinted that the bureau has not had adequate funds to print all the information which has been received and the secretary suggests that larger appropriations be made for enlarging the work of the statistics bureau.

Mr. Dingley, chairman of the ways and means committee of the house, had a long consultation with President McKinley Thursday afternoon, presumably about the tariff bill. Mr. Dingley declined to say anything about the subject of his visit.

Mr. Calhoun, the Illinois attorney who has been selected by the president to take the place of Mr. Day, of Canton, as the legal representative of this government in the prosecution of the Ruiz case in Havana, was at the state department Thursday to begin the preparation of his case. He spent some time with Assistant Secretary Rockhill, making himself acquainted with what has already been done by Consul General Lee and the department of state.

Hon. T. S. Sharretts, president of the board of United States general appraisers at New York, has been summoned to Washington to advise the senate committee on finance in relation to the tariff bill, was asked Thursday for an opinion in regard to the merits of the amended bill as a revenue producer, and in reply said:

"In my opinion the bill will produce sufficient revenue to meet the demands of the government. The duty on tea will aggregate at least \$10,000,000, while the increase provided for by the tax on beer will amount to from \$12,000,000 to \$14,000,000 more. The increased duty on sugar will result in a material gain to the volume of revenue over that produced by the act of 1894. Indeed, this increase alone would be almost sufficient if times were prosperous to produce the additional revenue necessary to support the government, as the deficiency under that act was due largely to the depressed conditions. I estimate the increase of the duty on sugar over that of the Wilson law to amount on the average to about 35 per cent. I do not believe that the increased rate will materially affect the volume of imports."

"There will also be a large addition from wool. I think the increase from this source will exceed the possible decrease from the manufactures of wool due to the rates being prohibitive on the lower grades of woolen mixed goods. The cotton schedule shows very little change from the Wilson law and the same may be said of the metal, flax and sundries schedules. I say that the increased revenue on the articles included in these schedules would not exceed \$5,000,000."

Representative King, democrat of Utah, Thursday introduced a resolution for the annexation of Hawaii. The resolution declares that citizens of the United States, some of whom reside in the islands, have extensive financial interests there, that many of the citizens were formerly citizens of the United States, and by the ties of affinity and consanguinity are indissolubly bound to this government, that the rights and liberties of the Hawaiian people are guaranteed by its constitution, but that the perpetuity of the republic is not assured.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Senator Bacon, of Georgia, has introduced a joint resolution declaratory of the policy of the United States in favor of the arbitration of international differences.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—An important order, prohibiting a pension claimant whose claim has been adjudicated, either favorably or unfavorably, from filing papers for its reconsideration if disallowed, or for an increase if pension has been issued, until one year from the date of the previous consideration of the case is contemplated by the commissioner of pensions and may be issued soon. The purpose of the proposed order is to lessen the great volume of work confronting the bureau and to enable it to devote most of the time of the examiner to original claimants.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Gen. James Longstreet, the famous confederate fighter, will be appointed commissioner of railroads by President McKinley.

Vessel Wrecked—Crew Dies of Fever. PORT LOUIS, Island of Mauritius, May 7.—The British ship Traveler, Capt. Christie, from Senebaws for Delaware Breakwater, was wrecked off the Island of Rodriguez, 330 miles east-northeast of Mauritius, on February 4; the news has just reached here. Her hull materials were lost, but 300 tons of the cargo were saved. Capt. Christie, his first officer and 14 of the crew died of sea fever.

Wants Increased Taxation of Railroads. LANSING, Mich., May 7.—A long message from Gov. Pingree, urging increased taxation of railroads, was read in both houses of the legislature Thursday afternoon. The governor fears that the session will end without having enacted any adequate reforms in this line.

Boys' Fatal Quarrel. SHELBYVILLE, Ind., May 7.—Gilbert Dugan was fatally cut with a knife Thursday morning by Thomas Cooper while quarreling over an admission ticket to a circus. Both are aged 12 years.

## A CRISIS

Is Reported to Be Imminent in the Greek Cabinet—King George Asks for the Mediation of the Emperor of Russia. BERLIN, May 8.—The Lokal Anzeiger says that the king of Greece has formally asked the mediation of the emperor of Russia. It is asserted that the question of abdication turns on financial considerations. When King George came to the throne it was agreed that if he should abdicate.

LONDON, May 8.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily News says: "It is persistently rumored that a cabinet crisis is impending. M. Ralli and his colleagues advocate energetic preparations to continue the struggle, while the king desires to avoid further bloodshed."

The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

Private news from Athens which has escaped censorship shows the position of royalty there to be more perilous than ever. The members of the royal family rarely leave the palace and their portraits have been withdrawn from public view.

"When the queen and princess visit the hospitals they are openly insulted in the streets. The palace is watched by revolutionary agents, lest their majesties should attempt to flee the country. It is said that Turkey is the chief hindrance to the powers proposing mediation, as the porte claims the right to finish the war in the ordinary way."

The Athens correspondent of the Times says:

"The news of the retreat from Pharsalus was at first received with consternation, but the public has already accepted the situation and now regards the retreat to Domokos as a strategic movement dictated by prudence. It is generally felt that Gen. Smolenski's defense of Velesino has vindicated the reputation of the Greek army and wiped out the disgrace of Mati and Larissa. The national honor is unimpaired."

"But while all this is so, the old bellicose enthusiasm of the Athenians has vanished completely. On all sides the desire for peace is expressed, and should the government invoke the intervention of the powers it would probably be supported by public opinion. The anti-royal feeling is visibly diminishing. The demonstrations due to a change of cabinet and to the flight from Larissa, which were somewhat superficial, have not been repeated. The gallantry of the princes at Pharsalus has also had a good effect."

ATHENS, May 8.—The intervention communications from the powers have not yet been received. The Greek government has notified the powers that the Greek fleet has established an effective blockade on the coast of Epirus.

PHARSALAS, May 8.—An engagement began early Friday near Velesino and lasted several hours, the Greeks being finally beaten back. They have retreated upon Volo, sharply pursued by the Turks.

ATHENS, May 8.—A dispatch just received from Almyros announced that Gen. Smolenski's brigade arrived there Friday morning after having effected a retreat from Velesino in good order.

ATHENS, May 8.—No news has been received of the whereabouts of Gen. Smolenski, whose brigade of Greek troops was last heard of as being engaged with the Turks at Velesino, the latter apparently attempting to prevent him from retreating upon Volo or Almyros. The government has ordered the ironclad squadron to send several torpedo boats to obtain news of the missing brigade.

A panic prevails at Lamia, on the Gulf of Lamia, which is now the base of supplies for the Greek forces at Domokos. Many of the inhabitants are fleeing from the place, fearing it will be attacked by the Turks. Three vessels brought refugees from Lamia to the Piræus Thursday evening.

## A PLOT

To Poison the Kelly Family at Jeff, Ala.—Two May Die.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., May 8.—There is a profound mystery at Jeff, a small country town near here. Two months ago Joshua O. Kelly, a prominent farmer and nursery man, several members of his family and a number of tenants were poisoned. This was thought to have been the result of Mrs. Kelly carelessly placing poison in a cupboard. Kelly died in intense agony. A party of 11 sitting up with his body were poisoned the night after Kelly died. Friday it begins to appear that there is a plot to poison the family. After breakfast every one who had eaten became violently ill. Eight negroes and six whites were affected and two may die. Among the ill is a drummer from Cleveland, Tenn., who spent the night at Kelly's.

A Tribute to Grant's Memory. NEW YORK, May 8.—As a tribute to the memory of Gen. Grant Yang Yu, former minister from China to the United States, Friday planted a tree in the ground under which the casket of Gen. Grant lay for 12 years. The tree is called Ginkgo-ba by Chinese botanists and is said to grow to a height of about 100 feet.

Liquor Licenses Granted. PARKERSBURG, May 8.—A liquor license was granted in Doddridge county Friday by the county court for the first time in 32 years. But two saloons were legalized, although the county has a population of 15,000 inhabitants.

University of Michigan Will Send No Team. ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 8.—It was decided Friday night that the University of Michigan will send no team to the big military athletic carnival at the Chicago coliseum. The reason stated is that on account of the withdrawal of Illinois, Chicago and Wisconsin, Michigan would have no real rivals in the competition.

Wild Rose the Official Flower. DES MOINES, Ia., May 8.—Both houses of the legislature Friday passed resolutions making the wild rose the official flower of the state.

## A FORECAST

## of the Business to Be Transacted in Congress This Week.

The Committees Will Be Filled the Fore Part of the Week—Three Day Adjournments in the House Will Be Suspended—The Sundry Civil Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—There is no certainty as to the line of proceeding in the senate during the present week. The Morgan Cuban resolution probably will be taken up Monday, and it may lead to a long and spirited debate. Senate Morgan is quite determined to press the resolution to an issue and Senator Hale just as determined to prevent its passage. Mr. Hale ultimately will move to refer the resolution to the committee on foreign relations, and an effort will be made to enlist the friends of the administration against it. The committees will be filled Monday or Tuesday, but as this will be done on the basis heretofore agreed upon there will be no friction over the proceeding. The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill may cause some debate, but the probabilities that the agreement of the conferees will be generally acquiesced in.

The house programme of three day adjournments will be suspended this week. The sundry civil appropriation bill has passed the senate and now returns to the house for action on the amendments. The programme pursued when the Indian bill came back to the house will probably be followed in the case of the sundry civil. That is, the amendments will be considered in the house before the bill is sent to conference. There is a good deal of bitter feeling among the house members, which may break out as soon as opportunity for debate is given, and some lively oratorical displays are expected. The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill also will be ready for consideration before the week closes. The questions involved in the opening of the Uncompahgre reservation in Utah will, of course, furnish the main source of contention in the debate on this report.

A vigorous policy of extending mail facilities for the suburbs of the large cities as far as possible by both steam and electric cars has been adopted by Second Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger. Many of the big cities will be given material additional service for the outlying districts if the citizens of those points co-operate with the department to make it a success and the statement will be a welcome announcement to numerous places where feeling is evidenced that the demands of the suburbs are not met. Mr. Shallenberger is giving the matter careful attention, and, as an initiative, has just made contracts at Pittsburgh, Pa., for additional train service to various suburbs there, within a range of about 30 miles from the city, whereby from one to three extra mails a day will result from the use of accommodation trains. Electric cars will figure largely in future postal operations, owing to the large number of settled districts where the steam roads do not touch.

## GEN. WHEATON

Retires from the Service of the United States Army, Having Reached the Age of 63 Years.

DENVER, Col., May 10.—At noon Saturday Brigadier General Major General Frank Wheaton retired from service in the United States army, having reached the age of 63 years, of which time 47 years have been spent in the service. At 11 o'clock the officers and employees of the department of Colorado assembled in Gen. Wheaton's office and bade the general farewell. He made a few appropriate remarks.

Gen. Wheaton left Denver Saturday night, going east, and in August will sail for Europe, where he will spend the next two years.

Col. Merriam will assume command of the department until Gen. Otis, the successor of Gen. Wheaton, arrives. Lieut. Langhorne, who has been an aide to Gen. Wheaton for the past few years, will enjoy four months' leave of absence, which will be spent in traveling in Europe.

## TEXAS RAILROADS.

Improvements to the Aggregate Cost of About \$4,000,000 to Be Made.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 10.—According to the testimony adduced before the railroad commissioners in the investigation, which has just closed, the railroads of Texas expect in the very near future to make improvements, the aggregate cost of which, taking their own statements and figures will be about \$4,000,000. If these statements are true, and there is no reason to doubt them, the roads evidently anticipate an early era of prosperity in this state and propose to help good times along by expending large sums of money, which will be scattered among the people.

Detroit Malt House Burned. DETROIT, Mich., May 10.—The large malt house of Henry M. Rieckel & Co. was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. It is estimated that \$50,000 worth of malt was destroyed. The loss on building is \$20,000, fully insured. It is not known whether the insurance on the contents will cover the loss. The fire probably started from an electric wire. Two firemen were slightly injured.

Won't Give Up His Office. OMAHA, Neb., May 10.—Mayor Brothel has a force of forty picked policemen under command of Sergeant Her patroling the city hall Sunday night. He reiterates his intention of holding to the office of mayor at all hazards. His term of office expired at midnight Sunday night. Mayor-elect Moore will make no effort to secure control of the office by force.

New State Liquor Law Signed. DES MOINES, Ia., May 10.—Gov. Drake signed the new state liquor law, including the sections allowing manufacturing, Saturday.

## THE CAPITAL.

Michigan Naval Militia Want the Loan of the U. S. S. Yantic—The Question of Transit of Mail Through Intermediate Countries.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The failure of the senate to make public its action on the arbitration treaty, has created an unusual condition of affairs. There is no official information that the senate has taken any action, or that the treaty has been rejected, or that the defeated treaty was different from the one originally submitted. All that is known officially is that a treaty was concluded by Secretary Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote and sent to the senate. It then went into executive session, so that no official information has been given as to the amendments made and final action taken. The secrecy of executive session does not permit the state department or the British government to be notified as to what has occurred. It is felt to be due to the other contracting party to the treaty that some notice should be given as to what has been done, and as to the form of the treaty when rejected. In case the senate should never make its action known, the last official record on the treaty would be its submission to the senate four months ago.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The naval militia of Michigan, having put in an earnest request to the navy department for the loan of the U. S. S. Yantic for their use as soon as she returns from the South Atlantic station, Secretary Long has been looking into the possibilities of getting the ship up the canals connecting the lakes with the ocean, and also into the stipulations of the treaty of Washington to ascertain whether or not the latter would stop the entry of the Yantic into the lakes if she were dismantled of her guns. The doctrine laid down during the last administration of President Cleveland, in the face of an earnest brief in the negative by his friend, Don Dickinson, was so broadly adverse to the construction of anything in the semblance of a warship on the lakes that there is no doubt that the present application would be included in its inhibition, although it is, of course, possible that the present administration may take a different view of the matter. However, the case is not likely to go that far, inasmuch as the construction bureau has reported that even if all movable weights are removed from the Yantic, she could not be brought up to a draft of nine feet and so could not pass the canals.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The question of transit of mails through intermediate countries was threshed over again Friday at a meeting of the subcommittee on transit of the "ways and means" committee of the Universal Postal congress. The committee met early and spent several hours in going over the subject. Mr. Havelarr, of Holland, the representative of a country which, perhaps, would have more reason than any other to oppose the projected transit reforms, presided. The deliberations gave the delegates an opportunity to present their several views, but developed no definite result.

Congress itself is taking a recess until next week, when it will meet probably to receive the report of the subcommittee upon the latter's notification that it is in readiness to communicate its findings.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Postmaster Brown, of Cincinnati, called on First Assistant Postmaster General Heath Friday and asked for ten new letter carriers, four new clerks and four new street railway postal cars for Cincinnati.

Brown urged the rapid growth of Cincinnati and the annexation of five suburbs as reasons for the increased facilities, which, he said, were absolutely necessary. Heath and Brown will have another conference Saturday.

## THE CUBAN WAR.

Negotiations for a Peaceful Solution of the Troubles, Pending by Purchase or Otherwise.

NEW YORK, May 8.—A special to the Journal from Havana says: Your correspondent is able upon high authority to confirm the Journal's recent Washington reports as to negotiations pending there between Secretary of State Sherman, Dupuy de Lome and Estrada Palma, looking to a peaceful solution, by purchase or otherwise, of the island of Cuba.

The story is the topic of conversation in all the clubs.

El Diario de La Marina, the reformist organ here, in a leader sounds an ominous note of warning by intimating that the so-called reforms that Premier Canovas has offered to the island will be little more than a farce should Cuba be left to pay the cost of the war. Spain must pay it, El Diario declares, otherwise, the paper adds, she can not hope to keep the colony and continue to monopolize its trade.

Murder and Suicide. LEADVILLE, Col., May 8.—A woman known as Miss Belle Walker was shot and instantly killed by her lover, who called himself George Ratliffe, after a quarrel. The assassin then took his own life. A letter was found on the person of the dead man addressed to the coroner, and stated that his real name was Gardner Marchbanks, and his home was in Ooray. The woman's name was Laura Belle Lantz. Marchbanks said he sacrificed everything in the world for the woman and she deceived him.

Call's Name Withdrawn. TALLAHASSEE, Fla., May 8.—Call was withdrawn in the race for United States senator Friday and J. N. C. Stockton, a Jacksonville banker and supporter of Call, was placed in nomination. The result of the ballot Friday was Chipley, 37; Stockton, 33; Roney, 20; Hocker, 3; Burford, 1.—Total, 94. Chipley's friends have driven Call from the race and hope soon to effect Chipley's election.

Count Esterhazy Dead. LONDON, May 8.—Count Nicholas Esterhazy, the celebrated sportsman and breeder of race horses, is dead.

## FIRE AT SEA.

## Steamer Leona Puts Back to New York With Sixteen Corpses on Board.

Thirteen of the Steerage Passengers and Three of the Crew Suffocated by Smoke—The Former Were Penned Up Below Decks—Efforts to Save Them.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The Mallory line steamer Leona, which left her pier on Saturday bound for Galveston, took fire at sea, put back and arrived in port Sunday night with 16 corpses aboard. The dead were thirteen steerage passengers and three members of the crew, who succumbed to a terrible fire which occurred off the Delaware capes at an early hour Sunday morning. The horror of the story can hardly be told Sunday night. Those who are dead were penned up below decks, and although frantic efforts were made by the officers of the vessel to save them, the fire had gained such terrific headway before the danger was discovered that all escape was cut off. The steamer carried in her cargo many bales of cotton. It is not certain how the fire originated, but when it was discovered it burst forth with such fury that it was impossible to reach the steerage. Even then the steerage passengers apparently were unmindful of the danger, else the smoke and flames had not reached them. The saloon passengers were first aroused, and in such a manner as to occasion little alarm. When it became apparent that the fire had cut off the steerage, the captain and his men poured great quantities of water down the ventilator, and the most frantic efforts were made for the escape of those penned up. In this way eight of the steerage passengers made their escape.

The dead are: Steerage passengers—Bridget Sullivan, R. Cotiane, Mrs. C. Guzza, Miss Guzza, Miss Hannah Solomonson, Mrs. Valeicks, Miss Valeicks, Sophie Schwartz, Myra Wades, two unknown children, two unidentified. The crew—Alfred Hardy, waiter, 41 years old, New York; Alfred Lang, waiter, 19 years old, New York; H. Hartmann, butcher, 27 years old, New York.

The passengers were all transferred to the City of Augusta in safety and the work of fighting the fire was continued. About 9 o'clock in the morning the flames were under control and the steamer out of danger. The passengers were sent back to the Leona and the City of Augusta continued on her way to Savannah. The Leona put about and returned to port under her own steam.

The Leona is a schooner rigged steel screw steamer of 3,329 tons gross and 2,331 tons net register. She was built in 1889 at Chester, Pa. Her dimensions are: Length, 314 feet; breadth, 46.2 feet and depth of hold 20.3 feet. She has three decks and six bulkheads. She was last surveyed in September, 1896.

## SUING FOR PEACE.

Greece Makes Application to the Powers Soliciting Mediation—Turkey Will Claim Indemnity.

ATHENS, May 10.—A correspondent learns on the very best authority that Greece has made a written application to the powers through their representatives at Athens with a view of obtaining mediation. All the representatives have promised in their replies to use their best offices, except the German minister, who has merely acknowledged the receipt of the note from the cabinet.

The porte is inclined to support the powers, with a view to the facilitation of negotiations, but it declines to consent to an armistice, on the ground that this would enable Greece to reorganize her forces.

As a matter of fact Turkey continues to send troops from Salonica homeward, and it is probable that Osman Pasha has returned to Constantinople from Salonica. In view of both facts it may be assumed that nothing serious is expected, but the continuance of a state of war is regarded as the very best means of hastening the efforts of diplomacy.

It is understood that Greece agrees to confide her interests to the powers in the peace negotiations.

A dispatch to the Morning Post from Constantinople says it is probable that Turkey will demand a war indemnity of over 6,000,000 sterling. War claim will be supported by Russia and Germany.

A special to the Daily Mail from Volo says that as the result of the proclamation of Edhem Pasha promising to protect the inhabitants and to use only one battalion of the occupying force, on condition that the Greek fleet be withdrawn, the Greek admiral has been ordered to leave forthwith. Volo has been occupied by a Turkish force of 6,000.

ATHENS, May 10.—The Greek western squadron has resented large numbers of women and children from villages along the Epirus coast threatened by the Turks.

Stylis, near Lamia, has been made the port for revictualing the Greek army. Some Greek troops from Velesino have embarked on the Greek man-of-war Volo.

Minister McKenzie at Home.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., May 10.—Ex-Congressman James A. McKenzie, United States minister to Peru, arrived at his home at Oak Grove, south of this city, Saturday evening. He was accompanied by his family, and is rapidly improving in health.

Bank Examiner Hayden Indicted. CHICAGO, May 10.—The grand jury Saturday voted an indictment against Bank Examiner George R. Hayden for failing to report on the condition of the Globe Savings bank for over two months after he knew it to be in an insolvent condition.

Spain to Raise Money. MADRID, May 10.—The queen regent has issued a decree authorizing the raising of \$5,000,000 to be secured by the customs duties of Spain to meet the cost of military operations in Cuba and the Philippine islands. The bank of Spain will undertake the issue.

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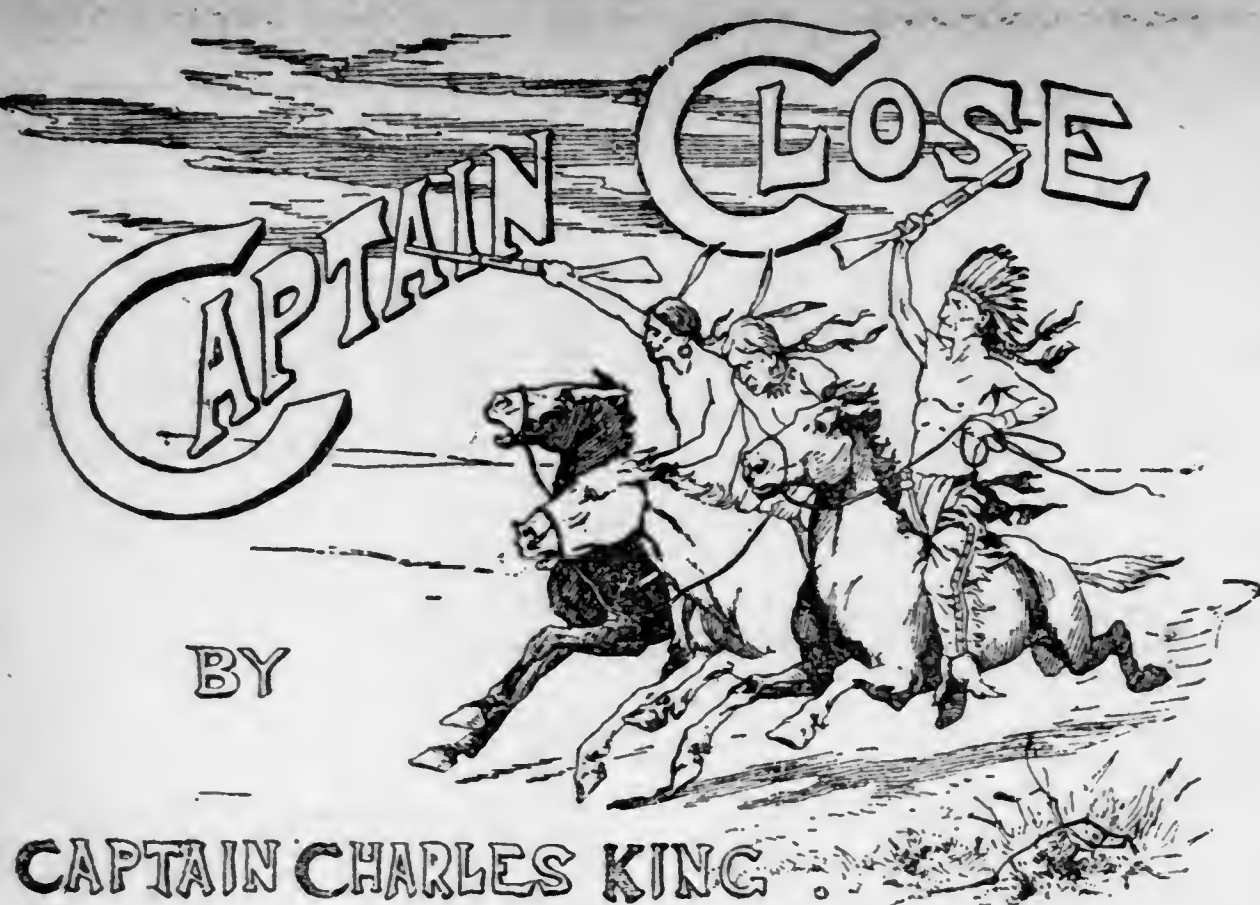
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## I.

The conductor had eyed Lambert curiously as he punched his ticket. He held it for a moment and edged his lantern around so that its feeble light could reinforce the glimmer from the bleared and smoky globe above Lambert's curly head. The train had started from the junction with that quick series of back-wrenching jerks which all veteran travelers remember as characteristic of American railways, before the introduction of "coupler buffers." It was a shabby, old-fashioned train—one whose cars had "seen service," and not a little of it, during the long and eventful war so recently closed. It had a baggage car behind the wheezy old wood-burner that drew the rickety procession out into the dim, starlit aisle through the eastward forest, and, for the first time in a week, that baggage car contained a trunk. It had a "smoker," in which three or four negroes were soundly sleeping on the worn cushions at the forward end, and three or four lank, shabbily-dressed whites were consuming tobacco and killing time under the single lamp at the other. It had a "ladies' car"—so called—in which no ladies were visible, and which differed in appointments from the smoker only in the facts that its seats were upholstered in dingy red plush instead of blackened canvas, and that both its lamps could be induced to burn, however feebly, instead of only one. It was a forlorn, hangdog, shame-faced sort of train, that seemed oppressed with a sense of its own disrepute—a train that kept in hiding during the broad light of day and ventured to slink forth only after nightfall, like some impoverished debtor, not loving the darkness better than light because of evil deeds, but hating it as it hated its own shabbiness, and accepting it as only one plane above total decrepitude, the junk shop and the poorhouse. Starting at dusk from a populous station on a north and south "trunk" line, it turned and twisted through red clay cuttings, jolted over mud-covered ties and moss-grown trestles, whistling shrill to wake the watchers at "cross-country" stations on the way, and finally, after midnight, rested an hour at a prominent point, a "state center," where, sometimes at one o'clock but generally long after, the night express came gliding up from the south along the glistening rails of another "great northern" route, and three nights in the week, perhaps, gave it a sleepy passenger or two to trundle away westward towards the big river town it managed to reach by sunrise, once more to slink out of sight until dark, when again it crept forth and stole away on the return trip over its clanking road, unresentful of comment on its loneliness and poverty, and proud, if anything, of the fact that this way, at least, it ran "right end foremost," according to the American idea, with the baggage instead of the ladies' car next the struggling engine.

It was a clear, starlit night, sharply cold, and the planks of the platform at the junction had snapped and creaked under their glistening white coat of frosty rime. The up train came in even later than usual—so much so that the stationmaster had more than once asked his friend the conductor of the waiting "Owl" whether he really thought he could "make it" over to Quitman in time for the dawn express at dawn. "You'd better pull out the minute she gits hyuk," was his final injunction when at last her whistle was heard.

A lithe, active young fellow in a trim suit of tweed had sprung from the sleeper before the incoming train had fairly stopped, and, hailing the first man he saw, asked: "Train for Tugalo gone yet?" which so astonished the party addressed that he simply stared for a minute without reply. A voice in the wilderness, apparently, was heard above the hissing of steam and the loud moanings of the negro porters of the two rival hotels. "All aboard for Quitman," it said, and, abandoning the question of purpose of repeating the question in sharper tone, the young fellow turned and ran nimbly across the dimly-lighted platform in the direction of the hail.

"Quitman train?—Tugalo?" he asked of a dark form standing above the tail light of the car.

"Quitman it is. Anybody else there?" And the interrogative went off in a shout. No answer.

"Aw, hank! Anybody else?" Still no answer. Two or three dim figures were by this time clustered around the flaring torch of a coffee stand at the edge of the platform. The conductor got off and walked impatiently towards them.

"Any you gentlemen for Quitman?" he asked.

"Quitman? Hell, no! What's any man want to go there for night like this? Pull out with your old sneeze, Jimmy. 'less you'll stop and take a cup of coffee."

"Oh, that you, cap? Ain't you got anybody for us? Thought the judge was comin' up to-night."

"Warr't on my ear," said the brakeman of the express, possessively.

"Young feller 'n the sleeper all I know of."

"Got him," answered the conductor, as briefly as possible for a man long attuned to the southern drawl and whose "got" was more like "gawt." "Reckon we might as well git, then," he continued, returning to the colloquial present indicative of a verb of manifold meaning and usefulness. "Tell hank, will you?—Let 'er go, Jack," he shouted to the engineer, with a wave of his lantern. A yelp from the whistle was the answer; the fireman crawled out from a warm corner in the baggage car and shambled drowsily forward to the cab. Sudden jets of steam flew hissing out on the frosty air. One after another the three cars lunged sharply forward and then slowly rolled forth into the night. The conductor clambered up the rear steps with parting wave of his lantern, slammed the door after him and came up the narrow aisle to look at his passenger. Before he had time to speak, however, his attention was attracted by a succession of yells from the track to their rear. Giving an angry yank at the bell rope he whirled about and hurried to the door. The train came willingly to a sudden stand, and Lambert, stowing his hand luggage on the empty seat before him, heard the following lively colloquy, as did everybody else who happened to be awake and within a radius of 200 yards:

"What'd you want?"

"Come back hyuk, I say."

"What'd you wa-a-nt? I ain't goin' to back in that now."

"Hyuk's a trunk."

"Wha-at?"

"A tru-u-uk."

"Why in hell didn't you sling it abawd fist off?" sung out the conductor, disgustedly. "Ain't you felluhs got any brains? Back up, Jack!" he shouted forward, signaling with his lantern again. "Somebody's left a band-bawx, by crimony!" And so, growling volubly, the custodian of the "Owl" swung himself out from the steps, hanging by the left hand to the iron railing and holding extended his green and white lantern with the other. A couple of stalwart negroes came panting forward to meet them, the offending trunk on their shoulders, and went stumbling up the sloping embankment towards the slowly-backing baggage car. The light from the lantern fell on the new canvas cover and on the fresh brown finish of the straps and handles, then on the inscription in bold black letters at the end:

I. N. LAMBERT,  
U. S. Army.

At sight of which the conductor checked the half-jocular, half-resentful tirade he was composing for the benefit of the stationmaster and abruptly asked:

"Whuh's it goin'?"

"Tugalo, suh," said the rear-most negro.

"Well, hump it abawd, 'n' be quick about it." Then, raising his voice, he shouted across the platform: "Shuah you ain't gawta feedin'-bawtle or a cake o' soap or s'm' other truck to fetch me back again, hank? Dawg gawn 'I reckon we ever will get to Quitman 't this rate!"

The darkies about the coffee-stand gave a guffaw of sympathetic rejoicing over the official's humor. The conductor was evidently more popular than the stationmaster. One of the trunk bearers came lunging in at the front door of the car, and, humble yet confident, appealed to Lambert:

"Little somethin', suh, fur totin' de trunk. Bin los', mos' like, 'f it had 'n bin fr us. Thanky, suh. Thanky." And the negro's eyes danced, for the douceur handed him by the young owner of the vagrant baggage exceeded his hopes. He strove, indeed, to turn and renew his thanks at the rear door, but was collared and hustled meekly out of the car.

"You ain't goin' to get off at Tugalo this time o' night?" asked the conductor, finally, and with that odd emphasis expressive of doubt as to a passenger's knowledge of his own intentions so often heard in our thinly-settled districts. Lambert interpreted it to mean "Anybody else, perhaps, but not you." He was already cogitating as to whether or not the conductor had intended some covert sneer in his recent reference to "feeding-bottles," for Lambert was but one-and-twenty, and youthful-looking for his years. The tone of this inquiry and the look which accompanied it after deliberate pause and study of the proffered ticket, however, were far from aggressive or discourteous, yet the unintentional misplacing of the emphasis, following an allusion equally hapless and alike unintentional, had given umbrage to the boy. "You must expect to hear no end of unpleasant things," he had been told at department headquarters, where he had received orders to go on and join his company, then in camp at Tugalo. "Every body is mighty sore yet over the late unpleasantness. Hold your tongue and keep your temper," were the parting injunctions; and he meant to do both. All the same he did not intend to allow people to treat him with discourtesy—certainly not a conductor of a public

railway. Lambert was on his dignity in a moment. He looked the railway man straight in the eye and replied, with all the calm and deliberation he could master: "My ticket would seem to indicate that such was my intention," and almost immediately regretted it, for the conductor looked up in sudden surprise, stood one instant irresolute, then saying: "Oh! All right," turned abruptly away, walked up beyond the stove, and roughly shaking the elbow of a snoring passenger, sung out: "Contesville," and let himself out with an emphatic bang of the door.

Two days later, when asked at Quitman what sort of a fellow the new lieutenant seemed to be, Mr. Scroggs, the conductor, himself a soldier of large experience and no little ability—a man who had fought his way from the ranks to the command of the remnant of a regiment that laid down its battered arms among the very last, a man not five years Lambert's senior in age, but lustrous in his profession—Mr. Scroggs, the conductor, promptly said: "He's a dam-ble fool," and never dreamed how much he should one day deplore it.

"Newt" Lambert, as he was known among his intimates, was far from being a fool. He had seen very little of the world, it is true, and, until this December night, next to nothing of the sunny south, where at this particular period in our national history it was not every man who could so conduct himself as not to fall into error. More especially in the military service was an old head needed on young shoulders, and a strong head between new shoulder-straps, for army life so soon after the great war was beset by snares and temptations it rarely faces of now, and many a fellow, brave and brainy both, in the days that tried men's souls 'twixt Big Bethel and Appomattox, or Belmont and Bentonville, went down in the unequal tussle with foe far more insidious than faced him in the field, but which met him day and night now that peace had come. It was at a time when the classes graduating from the military academy were being assigned mainly to the staff corps and to the artillery and cavalry regiments. Lambert fancied that he should prefer the associations and much prefer the stations of the artillery to those of any other corps, but an old friend of his father's, himself a veteran gunner, advised the young fellow to seek his fortune elsewhere. "If you are commissioned a lieutenant of artillery," said he, "it may be 20 years before you see your captaincy." And, though this was within three years after the reorganization of the army in '66, not one of Lambert's contemporaries who trusted to luck and applied for the artillery had yet come within hopeful range of the double bars.



"You ain't goin' to get off at Tugalo this time o' night?"

Lambert amazed them all when he asked for the infantry arm and took his commission thankfully.

He had been detailed for summer duty at the Point, as was then a custom, so that his leave of absence of three months did not begin until the 28th of August. He had been assigned to a regiment whose ranks were sadly depleted by the yellow fever, and which was still serving in the south. "You won't have to loaf it out to Idaho or Montana, anyhow," said a sympathetic friend, "and you'll have a no end of fun at New Orleans."

But Lambert's company was not at New Orleans. Under recent orders it had been sent up into the heart of the country, where some turbulent spirits, so it was alleged, had been defying the civil officers of the general government, and by the time the short southern winter set in more than half his regiment, together with three or four others, had been distributed by companies or detachments all over the Gulf states, and experienced officers were scarce as hens' teeth. The duty was unwelcome and galling. Lambert's captain lost no time in getting on staff duty, and G Company went into camp at Tugalo under command of its first lieutenant. Arriving at New Orleans, Lambert reported himself at the headquarters of the general commanding, who knew the boy's father, welcomed the son for old friendship's sake, and told his chief of staff to keep him there a week or so, that he might see something of the southern metropolis and of his friends down at the barracks before going to his exile "up the road." Dining the very next evening at Capt. Cram's, with Waring and Pierce, of the light battery, and perhaps rather ruefully agreeing with them that he had "made a beastly fluke of it, going into the doughboys," Lambert was asked: "Who's in command of your company now?"

"Our first lieutenant," said he. "I don't know much about him—Brevel Capt. Close."

Whereupon Waring laid down his knife and fork. "Angels and ministers of grace!" he exclaimed. "Well, if that isn't the oddest contre-temps I ever heard of!" And then they all began to laugh.

"You evidently know him," said Lambert, somewhat nettled and a trifle ill at ease. "Why did you ask me about him? Somebody told me he had been

commissioned for heroism—special bravery in action, or something of that kind—during the war."

"Gospel truth," said Pierce. "Close is the most absolutely fearless man I ever met. Nothing ever Waring could ever do or say would ruffle him." And then, though Mrs. Cram declared it a shame, she, too, joined in the general laughter. Close was evidently a celebrity.

And now, as Lambert found himself within a few miles—though it might be several hours—of his destination, he was thinking out a little of the officer to whose presence he was so soon to report his own, and whose companionship and influence, for good or for ill, he was bound to accept for the simple reason that, so far as he could learn, there was absolutely no one else with whom he could associate—except, possibly, the "contract doctor."

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## HE CONVINCED THEM.

The Doctor Was No Singer and He Proved It.

Some time ago a number of choice spirits were enjoying a little supper in a certain northern town.

When the cloth had been removed, and the usual toasts honored, some one suggested a song. The efforts of the first gentleman who volunteered to oblige the company met with such a hearty reception that others were induced to sing.

In the end, it was discovered that everyone had contributed to the evening's enjoyment with the exception of the medical gentleman who occupied the vice chair.

"Come, come, Dr. X—," said the chairman, "we cannot allow you to escape."

The doctor protested that he could not sing.

"As a matter of fact," he explained, "my voice is altogether unmusical, and resembles the sound caused by the act of rubbing a brick along the panels of a door."

The company laughed and attributed this to the doctor's modesty. Good singers, he was reminded, always made a lot of pressing.

"Very well, gentlemen," said the doctor, rising to his feet; "if you can stand it I will sing."

Long before he had finished his audience was uneasy. The unwilling singer had faithfully described his voice.

There was a painful silence as the doctor sat down, broken at length by the voice of a brow Scot at the far end of the table.

"Man," he exclaimed, "your singin's no up to much, but your veracity's just awful! Ye're right about that brick!"—London Tit-Bits.

## GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

A Case of Confession That Had Its Compensation.

One disadvantage of too "goody" books for children is that even the enthusiastic reader is prone to mistake the moral. Mrs. Stanley, the mother of Dean Stanley, wrote a friend, while Arthur was a very little boy, that he was reading Miss Edgeworth's "Frank" with the greatest eagerness. Yet his moral deductions therefrom did not seem to be altogether sound.

One day, as his mother was dressing, she heard him playing with the other children in the passage outside. Suddenly there came a great crash, which turned out to be from Arthur's running very fast, not stopping himself in time, and falling against a window so as to break three panes. He was not hurt, but one of the children remonstrating with him on the crime of breaking windows, to which he answered, with great composure:

"Yes, but you know Frank's mother said she would rather have all the windows in the house broken than that Frank should tell a lie. So now I can go and tell mamma, and then I shall be like Frank!"

When the children entered the room after dinner, according to custom, Arthur came first, his cheeks bright red and his manner full of excitement.

"Mamma," he cried, as soon as the door opened, "I have broken three panes of glass in the passage window, and I tell you 'cause I was afraid I'd forget!"

His mother says it was very evident that he gloried in the opportunity for dramatic confession, but nevertheless, she owns, it is always something of an effort to "tell," and one need not regret that the humiliation has some natural reward.—Youth's Companion.

## Force of Habit.

"I trust you will pardon me, Brother Puncher," began Rev. Mr. Longnecker, calmly addressing the reformed "bus conductor, who had lately become a member of his flock, "if I say a few words to you in an admonitory way."

"Certainly, Brother Longnecker," was the brisk reply; "the sooner I am told of my shortcomings, the better."

"The—er—ah? fault I have to find, Brother Puncher, is but a slight one, but, brother, we feel you were just a trifle too zealous in putting a stranger out for not contributing to the collection. Salvation is free, you know, and—"

"That's right enough! But I'll tell you that the man who rides with me has to pay his fare. If not, off he goes. Business is business."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

## Carte Blanche.

"This—"

The man with five aces in his hand was doubtful of the propriety of opening the pot therewith.

"—is—"

He finally decided that it would be dangerous, and declined to bust it.

"—passing strange!"

But somebody else opening he threw one of the aces away, and drawing a nine spot bet his boots and stockings.—N. Y. Truth.

## MINOT'S LEDGE LIGHTHOUSE.

The First One Was Swept Away with Its Occupants.

The first lighthouse on Minot's Ledge was built in 1848. It was an octagonal tower resting on the tops of eight wrought-iron piles eight inches in diameter and 60 feet high, with their bases sunk five feet in the rock. These piles were braced together in many ways; and, as they offered less surface to the waves than a solid structure, this lighthouse was considered by all authorities upon the subject to be exceptionally strong.

Its great test came in April, 1851. On the 14th of that month, two keepers being on duty, an easterly gale set in, steadily increasing in force. People on shore, and no doubt the keepers themselves, watched the heavy seas sweep harmlessly through the network of piles beneath the house, and feared no harm. On the 15th, however, the wind and sea had greatly increased, and the waves were flung higher and higher toward that tower in the air. Yet, all thought they surely could not reach 60 feet above the ledge!

That night was one of keen anxiety, for the gale still increased; and all through that dreadful driving storm and darkness the faithful keepers were at their posts, for the light burned brightly. On Wednesday, the 16th, the gale had become a hurricane; and when at times the tower could be seen through the mists and seadrift it seemed to bend to the shock of the waves. At four o'clock that afternoon an ominous proof of the fury of the waves on Minot's Ledge reached the shore—a platform which had been built between the piles only seven feet below the floor of the keeper's room. The raging seas, then, were leaping 50 feet in the air. Would they reach ten feet higher?—for if so the house and the keepers were doomed. Nevertheless, when darkness set in the light shone out as brilliantly as ever; but the gale seemed, if possible, then to increase. What agony those two men must have suffered! How that dreadful abode must have swayed in the irresistible hurricane, and trembled at each crashing sea! The poor unfortunates must have known that if those seas, leaping always higher and higher, ever reached their house, it would be flung down into the ocean, and they would be buried with it beneath the waves.

To those hopeless, terrified watchers the entombing sea came at last. At one o'clock in the morning the lighthouse bell was heard by those on shore to give a mournful clang, and the light was extinguished. It was the funeral knell of two patient heroes.

Next day there remained on the rock only eight jagged iron stumps.—St. Nicholas.

## RANSOM OF INCAS.

Fabulous Wealth Securely Hidden in the Peruvian Mountains.

Adventurers who seek mere gold without reference to art should turn to Peru. To begin with, the remainder of the Incas' ransom is buried somewhere in the mountains between Caxamarca and Cuzco. We may confidently assume that it has not been discovered, for if put into circulation at home the money market would have been convulsed, whereas the finders would have no reason for keeping the secret had they got safely away to Europe.

As for the evidence of deposit, there is Pizarro's official report that his comrades would not wait until the celebrated room was full. They were too impatient to murder their captives, though they knew that the bullion levied upon the temple at Cuzco was on its way, transported by 100,000 llamas, each carrying 100 pounds of purest gold. The figure is not incredible, seeing how much remained when the conquistadores sacked Cuzco. News of the murder reached that precious caravan in the mountains. Fortwith the priests buried their gold and returned. Every one concerned with the expedition who could be identified was tortured to death, but none would speak. Such is the contemporary account.

But we observe that Sir Clements Markham, president of the Royal Geographical society, obtained some information during his memorable expedition to Peru. He states, as if it were well known in the neighborhood, that the caravan left the highway at a spot called Azanjaru—a name which people derive from the Indian "asnan caran," meaning "more distant." "Away from the road!" cried the priests. "Farther away!" One always feels the strongest reluctance to accept derivations of a place name from a spoken word. But it is not impossible nor improbable that in the course of centuries some hint of a secret which must be known to many Indians should have leaked out. This clue does not carry one far, however, among the peaks and caverns of the Andes, even if it be trustworthy.—Pall Mall Gazette.

## Plunder of Spaniards.

In his new history of the British navy Mr. Oppenheim declares that the plunder during Queen Elizabeth's reign was not so great as is supposed. He says: "So far as pecuniary receipts were concerned, there were only two really great captures during the queen's reign. Her share of the St. Philip, taken by Drake in 1587, was £46,372; Drake's own, £18,223; the lord admiral's, £4,338, and private adventurers', £44,187. A still richer haul was made in the Madre de Dios, taken in 1592, which, by the account of her purser, carried 3,500 quintals of pepper, 900 of cloves, 700 of cinnamon, 500 of cochineal and 250 of other merchandise, besides amber, musk and precious stones to the value of 400,000 cruzados, and some especially fine diamonds."—Chicago Tribune.

## Exasperating.

Jack—It must be pretty tough to have a highwayman order you to stand, eh?

Harry—I suppose so; but, heavens, it's nothing to having a policeman tell you to move on!—N. Y. Truth.

## HUMOROUS.

—Young Playwright—"And what did you think of my climax?" Critic—"It was very welcome."—Brooklyn Life.

—I saw a man to-day who had no hands play the piano. "That's nothing! We've got a girl down in our flat who has no voice and who sings!"—Yonkers Statesman.

—"Pa, who was Shylock?" "Great goodness, boy! You attend church and Sunday school every week, and don't know who Shylock was?" cried his father. "Go and read your Bible, sir."—Tit-Bits.

—"I don't like the way her hat is trimmed," said the woman at the theater. "No," replied her husband, who was immediately behind the headwear. "It was a great mistake not to trim it carefully across the top with a pair of scissors."—Washington Star.

—A Possible Assistance.—"Willie is a remarkable boy," said the lad's mother to the eminent musician. "He remembers every tune he hears." "Indeed!" "Isn't that a valuable faculty?" "Well—it may enable him to become a successful composer."—Washington Star.

—How the Mix Up Began.—"It was thisaway, judge. Ye see, I doled de cards, and Jim Brown he had a pah of aces and a pah o' kings." "What did you have?" "Three aces, judge, and—" "What did Jim do?" "Jim, he drew." "What did he draw?" "He drew a razzler, judge!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—The new arrival joined the crowd. "May I ask what is going on?" he inquired of a native. "You may. We're hangin' a feller for stealin' a wheel." "But don't you think that's a pretty tough punishment for a rather simple crime?" "Simple crime! Why, good Lord, stranger, it was a '97 model."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## FREAKS OF LONDON SOCIETY.

Streaks of Stinginess Prompt Prominent Persons to Do Queer Acts.

No matter what wealth they may possess, no matter how great their natural generosity, there is in all rich people one point where a touch of stinginess lies, and in many cases it takes the most ridiculous freaks. Then again there are others who are the strangest mass of contrariety, as the following instances and anecdotes will show. A certain wealthy woman, who throws a quart bottle of eau de cologne into her bath of a morning, sends in next door for the loan of a newspaper. Another who pays a thousand a year rent will, if anything is wrong with the carriage horses, walk in her most elaborate frock in hail, wind and storm rather than pay a shilling for a hansom or even a penny in a bus. A lady who gives the most recherche suppers in Park lane, and whose stationery is noted for its beauty and price, sends the footman round in the dark to drop invitations in her friends' letter boxes because she won't spend the postage. The youthful heir to a title and £20,000 a year delights to steal into a dingy fried fish shop and there discuss with the usual habitude twopenny worth of the fare. A pretty debutante, the daughter of a countess, steals off her friends' tables all the sweets she can lay her hands on and next day distributes them among poor children. A certain foreign princess has been a barmaid, a waitress and attendant in one of the theaters, and tells her intimates that she was never so happy as when indulging these freaks. One of the most popular hosts, who is constantly seen with royalty, keeps a little King Charles dog, to which he is devoted, shut up perpetually because he won't pay the license.

A man who drinks two big bottles of champagne before dinner, smokes the cheapest tobacco in London and was never known to offer a friend a cigar. A well-known young and beautiful countess is never so happy as when over a washing tub and is constantly to be found in this position in her own laundry. A famous Q. C., who may often be seen in the vicinity of the law courts in a sable-lined coat worth £1,000, delights in buying roast potatoes in the street and eats them walking down an alley. These are but a few of the peculiarities of some conspicuous figures in London society.—Chicago Chronicle.

## Queer Things About Fishes.

Mr. A. E. Verrill describes the ways in which fishes sleep. They are very light sleepers, and frequently assuming singular positions; but the most remarkable thing is the change of color many of them undergo while asleep. Usually their spots and stripes become darker and more distinct when they fall asleep. Occasionally the pattern of their coloration is entirely changed. The ordinary porgy, for instance, presents in the daytime beautiful iridescent hues playing over its silvery sides, but at night, on falling asleep, it takes on a dull bronze tint, and six conspicuous black bands make their appearance on its sides. If it is suddenly awakened by the turning up of the gas in the aquarium it immediately resumes the silvery color that it shows by daylight. Mr. Verrill ascribes these changes to the principle of "protective coloration," and points out that the appearance of black bands, and the deepening of the spots, serve to conceal the fish from their enemies when lying amid seaweed and sea-weeds.—Youth's Companion.

## As Good as Married.

First Sailor—No, Bill, yer don't really know what life is till yer git spliced.

Second Sailor—W'y, shiver me timbers, tarradiddle! I've never been married. True, but I've had yaller fever and cholera, I've been frostbit, drowned, burned alive, eat by a shark, blowed up at sea and operated on for cancer. Wor more does a reasonable chap want?—London Answers.

## Boling It.

Mother—Johnny, how often have I told you that you must not bolt your food?

Johnny—Guess 't isn't no worse to bolt any food than it is for you to turn the key on it when it's in the cupboard.—Boston Transcript.



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SEVEN Kentucky newspaper men have been nominated for Representative in the next Legislature.

Gov. BOB TAYLOR, of Tennessee, will resign in October. He will go on another lecturing tour.

The Morehead Advance offers to give a box of liver pills with every cash subscription to that paper.

The plum of Minister to Chili, has been picked out for Dr. Hunter by his friends. It pays \$10,000.

The Brooklyn, Indiana and Maine, the three most powerful American warships, are to be sent to the Queen's jubilee.

W. B. SMITH, of Richmond, Bryan elector, has announced himself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Kentucky.

A SPECIAL says: "Gov. Bradley will leave Frankfort for a month's vacation as soon as the Legislature adjourns, which event, it is now believed, will not be delayed beyond May 21. The Governor will probably spend part of his vacation in Washington, but it is expressly stated that he will not take a hand in the distribution of Kentucky patronage. He has endorsed Yerkes and Collier, and will be satisfied if he gets that much recognition."

### WHEEL NOTES.

Lines about Devotees of The Wheel, At Home and Elsewhere.

Now doth the little busy bike Improve each shining minute, Wheeling up and down the pike For all that there is in it.

Two California wheelmen have started to ride to France.

Bicycle pic-nics and bicycle dinners are popular in Lexington and Louisville.

Sixteen Kentucky wheelmen joined the L. A. W. last week. There are now 1,036 members in the State.

Paris L. A. W. members will give a neat prize for races at the State meet in Cynthiana, June 22-23.

Sir Edwin Arnold, poet, Thos. Hardy, novelist, and Rudyard Kipling, poet and novelist, are among the famous men of England, who find recreation and pleasure in cycling.

Newt. Crawford, the Louisville rider, who made a double century last Summer over the Louisville-Paris course, will lead a touring party from Louisville, to the Cynthiana meet.

Swift Champ and Kirtley Jameson, of THE NEWS, had a thrilling experience Sunday afternoon at Monterey. While they were speeding down hill the front tire came off Swift's wheel, stopping it instantly, and throwing him lengthwise across the pike. Before he could arise, Kirtley and his wheel, coming like the wind, passed over Swift's body, rendering him unconscious for a few moments. The fall also threw Kirtley about ten feet, but both riders luckily escaped with a few bruises.

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### Talk About The Turnpikes.

The Fiscal Court of Madison will buy all the pikes in that county. They will cost \$75,000. Several raiders have been indicted by the Madison grand jury.

Thursday night raiders destroyed a tollgate in Bath, and left a note threatening to blow up the gatekeeper and President of the road if any more toll was collected.

Fifty masked men cut down the toll gate on the Maysville and Lexington turnpike Thursday night at Blue Lick Springs.

Editor F. D. Spottswood, of the Harrodsburg Democrat, has been notified by the raiders that they will hold him personally, responsible for denouncing them in his paper.

The cost of freeing the pikes in Lewis County is said to have been only \$2,200. A levy of 20 cents has been decided sufficient to maintain the roads.

### SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

Rev. Fife, the drummer evangelist, will hold a meeting in Frankfort on the 28th.

Maysville has reduced the circus license from \$50 to \$25 in hopes of catching a big show.

Cigarettes have caused Zelda Tourville, a twelve-year-old St. Louis girl, to lose her reason.

Judge Cantrill has agreed to hear the demurrer to the bribery indictments against Hunter, Wilson and Franks at Georgetown next week.

All other Kentucky contests are held up until the fight for Marshal is settled, and that may be to-morrow, according to Washington information.

Bruno Shelly, the Lexington fireman who was abducted at the point of a pistol by a pretty chambermaid, has returned home, and has been forgiven by his wife.

L. R. Bonta, of Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, won the intercollegiate declamatory contest Friday night at Lexington. His subject was "The Convict's Soliloquy."

Clay Douglas, one of Richmond's most promising young men, was drowned near Valley View Sunday afternoon. Douglas and several friends went in bathing, when he was seized with cramps and sank.

The Commencement exercises of the Cynthiana graded school will be held June 11. There are fifteen members of the graduating class. Benny Conner has been chosen salutatorian and Miss Elsie Burns valedictorian.

Geo. W. Baird was nominated, without opposition, Friday at the Democratic primary, for mayor of Mt. Sterling. W. B. White also had a walkover in the city attorney race. For police judge Ben R. Turner won over R. A. Chiles and Judge J. Graves, by a plurality of sixty-one.

The Commencement exercises of the Mt. Sterling Graded High School will be held at the Court House, in Mt. Sterling, to-morrow evening. The following pupils compose the graduating class: Misses Tillie E. Aicher, Genevieve Rinzo, Mary May Mynheir, Elizabeth Wyatt, Maud Ogg, Mayme Thorne Redmond, Harry Berry, Harry Enoch and Earl W. Senff.

### BASE BALL NOTES.

Gossip of the Diamond—Doings of Professionals and Amateurs.

Edw. Shinnors' Portsmouth team won three straight games from the crack Blue Lick team, from Cincinnati. Best pitched in Saturday's game.

Centre defeated State College Saturday and cinched her claim on the intercollegiate championship baseball honors.

K. U. won a game Saturday at Lexington from Georgetown College. Score 11 to 10.

Ray Tenley, who was a member of the Paris club several weeks last year, died of consumption Saturday at his home in Bellevue.

A good chance to buy a cheap home—the Chris Grosche property adjoining the Christian Church—at public sale May 19th.

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### The G. A. R. Meeting.

THE fifteenth annual meeting of the Kentucky G. A. R. began yesterday at Lexington, with a large number of veterans in attendance. The parade formed at two o'clock and marched to the Chautauqua grounds where Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, an ex-Confederate, delivered the address of welcome, and Gov. Bradley made the response. A company of State guards, the State College cadets and the Sons of Veterans marched to the grounds with the veterans. A notable feature of the occasion was the brotherly meeting of the Confederate Veterans and the G. A. R. veterans, the latter having invited the former to participate in the reunion, the ex-Confederates having invited many prominent Federal soldiers to their reunions of late years.

The John Brown Post, No. 68, and the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 15, both colored organizations, of this city attended the reunion.

The Mexican War veterans will hold their annual reunion to-morrow at Cynthiana and will be royally entertained by the Maiden City people.

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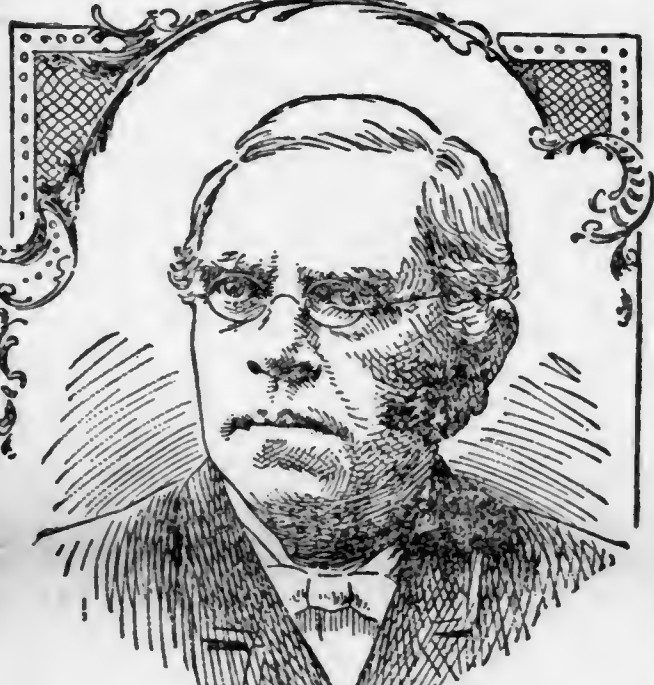
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 snuffle, you can cure it for good with Dr.  
 Bell's Pine Tarr Honey. This famous  
 remedy taken in time will stop the  
 progress of consumption and bring the  
 color of health to the pallid cheek.

A DISPATCH from Aberdeen says that  
 300 sports from Maysville, Paris, Flem-  
 ingsburg, Fern Leaf and Tollesboro,  
 saw an exciting cocking main pulled off  
 near Aberdeen Friday night. Ohio  
 birds won four and Kentucky three of  
 the fights.

## Arrested On a Grave Charge.

RUBE HENDERSON, colored, has been  
 arrested and placed in jail by Constable  
 Joe Williams on the charge of criminally  
 assaulting Mattie Thompson, a fifteen-  
 year-old colored girl, of Budtown, this  
 county. His examining trial will occur  
 to-morrow before Squire Lileston.

THE L. & N. offers a reduced rate of  
 \$1.25 for the round-trip Sunday from  
 Paris to Cincinnati on account of the  
 Louisville-Cincinnati ball game, and a  
 large crowd of Parisians will go down  
 to see the game. A special train may be  
 ran. Further particulars will be given  
 later.

"SHEP," a dog which has been a pet  
 for seven years with the family of ex-  
 Jailer Sam'l James, committed suicide  
 Saturday by working his head through a  
 hole in a fence and pulling his head off.  
 "Shep" was a hero of a hundred bat-  
 tles with a single foe—Major Henry  
 Turney's "McGinty."

THE Paris Ice Co. has sold its large  
 building opposite the L. & N. passenger  
 depot to C. S. Brent & Bro., for \$1,500.  
 The new owners have taken possession  
 of the property and will use it as a grass  
 seed establishment and warehouse. The  
 building will be improved before the  
 machinery is put in position.

THE NEWS is requested to announce  
 that the "Rose Bud Club" of Miss Bettie  
 Ingels' School will give an open session  
 in the Odd Fellows Hall Thursday night,  
 at half past seven o'clock. The public  
 is solicited to attend. Admission, twenty  
 cents for grown people—children ten  
 years old and under, ten cents. Katie  
 Hodge is President of the Society and  
 Laura Smith is its Vice President.

## A New L. &amp; N. Time Card.

THE L. & N. officials are this week  
 making a new time card to go into ef-  
 fect on the K. C. division Sunday. It is  
 understood that there will be no change  
 in the arrival or departure of morning  
 trains at this point, but the 5:30 p. m.  
 and the 6:20 p. m. trains will each ar-  
 rive at Paris about ten minutes later  
 than at present.

## Judge Webb's Field Day.

YESTERDAY was something of a Field  
 day in Judge Webb's court.

Anna Field, Sarah Field and Ed.  
 Field, who live on Third street in a  
 house overhanging Stoner, were each  
 fined \$7.50 for participating in a swear-  
 ing soiree. John Field, of another  
 tribe, was assessed \$12.50 for toying  
 with the peace.

Chick Piper was charged \$7.50 for  
 shying boulders at a colored maiden.

Maud Greendale paid \$7.50 for being  
 disagreeable to some of her Paris ac-  
 quaintances.

All of the parties fined are colored.

BEAUTIFUL in appearance are the  
 waists laundered by the Bourbon Steam  
 Laundry. (Smytff)

## High School Notes.

The declamatory contest to select a  
 boy and a girl to represent Paris at Har-  
 rodsburg will be held on Friday night  
 in the school chapel. An admission of  
 ten cents will be charged to pay for the  
 prizes to be awarded in the local contests.  
 According to arrangements last year  
 prizes will also be purchased for any of  
 the Paris pupils who may win second  
 places in Harrodsburg contests.

At the preliminary contest on Friday  
 night a number of persons will serve as  
 judges, but their identity will not be  
 known until that time. Each judge will  
 make a sealed ballot and hand it to the  
 committee after the contest and during  
 a short intermission.

The pupils of Paris are being fired  
 with a proper ambition and while last  
 year it was with some difficulty that  
 they were persuaded to enter, yet their  
 success has given them confidence and  
 this year there is marked eagerness to  
 enter the lists.

Arrangements can be made for adults  
 to go to Harrodsburg during the Tourna-  
 ment and all such should apply to the  
 superintendent early.

The annual commencement of the  
 High School will be held at the Opera  
 House on Friday night, June 11th. Prof.  
 E. H. Mark, Superintendent of the  
 Louisville schools, and Vice Presi-  
 dent of the National Association of Su-  
 perintendents, will deliver the honorary  
 address. There will be eight graduates:  
 Hugh Clendenin, Robt Hunt, Misses Liz-  
 zie Ashurst, Polly Minter, May Bor-  
 land, Lucy Downey, Nellie Mann,  
 Maud Powers.

A MAIN STREET lot 48x107, with a six-  
 room residence, adjoining Christian  
 Church, will be sold on reasonable terms  
 at public sale, May 19th, by Chris  
 Grosche. See ad in another column.

## Col. Baldwin's Gates Removed.

SUNDAY night a mob of raiders re-  
 moved another gate from Col. Baldwin's  
 road, the Maysville and Lexington turn-  
 pike. This gate was just outside of  
 Miller's "urg" (at the "old" cemetery) but  
 is just over the line in Nicholas county.  
 Mrs. Feeback, the gatekeeper, says she  
 will not collect any more toll.

Thursday night the raiders removed  
 the Blue Lick Springs gate and threw it  
 into the river.

Friday night they removed, for the  
 second time, the gate at Oakland Mills,  
 which had been replaced by order of  
 Colonel Baldwin, and an armed guard  
 detailed to protect the property. They  
 overpowered the guards, demolished the  
 veranda and threatened to burn the  
 house if another attempt to collect toll  
 was made.

Circuit Judge Kimbrough, in his  
 charge to the grand jury, now sitting  
 at Carlisle, instructed them to spare no  
 efforts to bring the marauders to justice.  
 Thursday a notice was found tacked to  
 the Courthouse door threatening di-  
 vengence on the jury if they did not  
 cease its investigation.

THE baby carriages at J. T. Hinton's  
 are offered for less money than you can  
 get them in Cincinnati or Lexington.  
 Ask for the prices.

## Telephone Notice.

SUBSCRIBERS, please answer your  
 phone as soon as the bell rings, and  
 when you call another subscriber and  
 get through talking ring off. By so do-  
 ing the service will be much better.

MR. L. J. MILLET, of Healy & Millet,  
 Chicago, was in the city Saturday and  
 completed arrangements for furnishing  
 the art glass windows in the new Metho-  
 dist Church. Mr. Millet is a nephew of  
 Leon Francoise Millet, of "Angelus"  
 fame. The "Golden Entrance" of the  
 Transportation Building at the World's  
 Fair and other noted decorations were  
 designed by Mr. Millet. Healy & Millet  
 also received a medal at the Paris Exhi-  
 bition in 1889 on their exhibit of art  
 windows which exhibit was purchased  
 by the French government for preservation.

STRAW MATTINGS don't cost much at  
 J. T. Hinton's. He sells them at low  
 prices, and he has a big stock to select  
 from.

THE Monday Night Literary Club met  
 last night with Dr. M. H. Daily, at his  
 dental office over the Deposit Bank.  
 The program was: Topic, "Adminis-  
 tration of Washington." Paper, "History  
 of the Administration; Reading, "Colum-  
 bia," Miss Etta McClintock; Paper,  
 "Biographical Sketch of Washington;"  
 Reading, Washington's Writings; Miss  
 Margaret Gaitskill.

THE Paris Telephone Company is giv-  
 ing a good service now and is still im-  
 proving their plant. They will soon  
 have the best arranged plant in the  
 country. They will take a few more  
 subscribers. Order from J. R. Baker at  
 the exchange. (11b)

MOTHERS will be delighted with the  
 baby carriages at J. T. Hinton's. All  
 are nice stylish buggies—at low prices.

YES, there are other laundries, but  
 for perfect color, fine finish and most  
 uniform work, the Bourbon Steam  
 Laundry excels. Phone 4. (Smytff)

DISK harrows sharpened. Bluegrass  
 strippers and combs for sale.  
 (6apr-1f) E. J. McKIMY & SON.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY  
 THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At  
 The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And  
 Elsewhere.

—Mr. Edw. Tucker spent Sunday in  
 Georgetown.

—Mrs. Chas. Fothergill is visiting rela-  
 tives in Lexington.

—Mr. Ed Simms arrived home Sun-  
 day from Nashville.

—Mr. Chas. Winn visited friends in  
 Winchester Sunday.

—Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Cheek have re-  
 turned from Washington.

—Mr. H. M. Kinsolving, of Mt. Ster-  
 ling, was in the city Saturday.

—Mrs. T. E. Ashbrook and son are  
 visiting relatives in Lexington.

—Miss Minnie O'Neil, of Richmond,  
 is the guest of Mrs. John Foley.

—Miss Ray Winters arrived home  
 yesterday from a visit in Lexington.

—Attorney John Williams was in  
 Lexington yesterday on legal business.

—Mr. Duncan Bell, of Lexington,  
 spent Sunday with relatives in the city.

—Sam Rothschild, of Mt. Sterling,  
 was the guest of L. Wolstein, Sunday.

—Mrs. Malcolm Boswell, of Leesburg,  
 is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Wilson  
 Wright.

—Mrs. J. T. Hedges arrived home  
 Saturday from a visit to relatives in  
 Covington.

—Mrs. Ellen O'Brien visited relatives  
 in Mt. Sterling from Saturday until  
 yesterday.

—Miss Alma Tucker, of Newport, is  
 the guest of Mrs. J. W. Taylor, in  
 Thornton division.

—Miss Leila Johnson spent Sunday  
 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H.  
 Johnson, in Mt. Sterling.

—Mr. Ben Frank, who is studying  
 medicine in Louisville came home Sat-  
 urday evening on a short visit.

—Mrs. J. R. Williams returned Sat-  
 urday to Midway after a visit to her  
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Letton.

—Hon. Theodore Hallam, of Coving-  
 ton, is the guest of his brother, Rev.  
 Frank Hallam, on Mt. Airy avenue.

—Miss Janie Craft, of Holly Springs,  
 Mississippi, arrived Friday evening to  
 visit Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Rutherford.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ullie Johnson How-  
 ard, of Covington, were guests at Mr.  
 C. Alexander's Saturday and Sunday.

—Misses Nettie and Maud Kelly, of  
 Lexington, were in the city Saturday  
 afternoon on a short visit to relatives.

—Miss Emile Karthaus, of Hunts-  
 ville, Alabama, is the guest of her  
 cousin, Miss Carrie Frank, on Broad-  
 way.

—The Shelby Sentinel says: "Miss  
 Annie Poynter left last week for a  
 month's visit to relatives in Winchester  
 and Paris."

—Mrs. J. J. McClintock and daughter,  
 Miss Belle Palmer McClintock, arrived  
 home yesterday from a visit to relatives  
 in Lexington.

—Miss Carrie Frank arrived home  
 Saturday from an extended visit in  
 Louisville to the family of her brother,  
 Dr. Louis Frank.

—An invitation has been received by  
 the Bourbon Dancing Club to attend a  
 ball to be given by the young men of  
 Cynthiana, to-morrow evening.

—Dr. R. A. Sprake, late of this city,  
 now of Cynthiana, has gone to Colorado  
 for the benefit of his health. He will be  
 gone for several months and may locate  
 in the West.

—Miss Theodore Arter and bright  
 little son, Theodore Arter, Jr., of  
 Cleveland, Ohio, have arrived to spend  
 the Summer with Mr. and Mrs. J. W.  
 Harmon, at "Mapleton."

—Miss Elizabeth Spears, of this city,  
 and Misses Bartow and Isabel Simrall,  
 of Covington, Mary Gay, of Winchester,  
 Elizabeth Van Meter, of Danville, and  
 Miss Elizabeth Hazelrigg, compose a  
 house party which is being entertained  
 by Miss Margaret Woodford, of Mt.  
 Sterling.

—THE NEWS acknowledges the receipt  
 of an invitation to meet Miss Elvira  
 Sydnor Miller, at a "Press Luncheon"  
 given Friday evening at "Westover  
 Terrace," the elegant home of Dr. and  
 Mrs. A. Wilkes Smith, at Richmond.  
 Miss Miller, who is a sister of Mrs.  
 Smith, is the very clever "Tattler" of  
 the Louisville Times, who gave a read-  
 ing Friday night in Richmond.

## A Peculiar Religious Sect.

THE "High Power" band is a peculiar  
 religious sect which holds regular meet-  
 ings in Ruckerville and threatens to  
 cause a serious rupture in several col-  
 ored churches in this city. The band  
 was organized about Christmas by two  
 colored street preachers, and now  
 numbers between twenty and fifty  
 members, having drawn recruits from  
 various churches. The High Power ser-  
 vices are conducted in a hall by a col-  
 ored woman preacher, and one of the  
 queer ceremonies is the washing of a  
 convert's left foot by the preacher as a  
 sort of baptism. The High Powerites  
 are said to be naughty in manner, and  
 believe that a church member cannot be  
 saved unless he seeks the High Power.

## NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Sol-  
 emnizations Of The Marriage Vows.

A couple at Crawfordsville, Ind., cel-  
 ebrated their fiftieth wedding anniver-  
 sary by filing suit for a divorce.

The marriage of Miss Virginia Aber-  
 crombie Jeffrey and Mr. John Hunt  
 Morgad will occur at Christ Church, in  
 Lexington, Monday evening, May 24, at  
 six o'clock.

Cards are out announcing the mar-  
 riage of Miss Nettie Hume, daughter of  
 Mrs. Lou Lilly Hume, of Irvine, to Mr.  
 Robert Mansford, a well known busi-  
 ness man of Henderson. The marriage  
 will occur at the home of the bride, in  
 Irvine, at high noon Wednesday, May  
 19.

## BIRTHS.

The Advent Of Our Future Men And  
 Women.

A' Ruddells Mills to the wife of Thos.  
 Current, Jr., nee Jessie Kate Knight,  
 a son—weight 8½ pounds.

ESPECIAL care is taken with ladies  
 shirt waists at the Bourbon Steam Land-  
 dry. (Smytff)

## Public Sale.

—OF—

RESIDENCE IN CITY OF PARIS.

I will sell at public auction, on the  
 premises, on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1897.

at 2 o'clock p. m., my house and lot,  
 situated on Main street, in Paris, Ky.,  
 and adjoining the Christian Church  
 property. The lot fronts on Main  
 street 48 feet and runs back 107 feet.  
 House contains six rooms, and all  
 necessary out-buildings. All in good  
 repair. Terms reasonable, and made  
 known on day of sale.

CHRIS GROSCHKE.

GEO. R. DOEHRER, Auc'r.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

FAYETTE CIRCUIT COURT.

R. A. Moore's Adm'r., Plaintiff.  
 vs.  
 Sallie G. Moore, etc., Defendants.

Notice is hereby given of the public  
 sale, at the Court House door, in Paris,  
 Ky.,

Saturday, May 15th, 1897,

of the Dr. R. A. Moore farm of about 90  
 acres, near Jacksonville, Bourbon Co.; 2  
 orchards; excellent neighborhood, con-  
 venient to churches, schools and post  
 office; good turnpike and within 4 miles  
 of a R. R. Station. See hand bills.

J. R. MORTON, M. C. F. C. C.

McMILLAN &amp; TALBOTT, ATT'YS.

(td)

## ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

ALL persons having claims against  
 the assigned estate of H. Margolen  
 are requested to present them at once  
 properly proven as required by law.  
 to the undersigned, in Paris, Ky. Those  
 knowing themselves indebted to H.  
 Margolen are requested to pay promptly  
 and thereby avoid court cost.

LOUIS SALOSHIN,

Assignee.

HARMON STITT, Attorney.

(11my)

## NOTICE.

I have placed all of my accounts,  
 notes, etc., in the hands of R. P. Dow,  
 Jr., for collection. All persons know-  
 ing themselves indebted to me will  
 please call on Mr. Dow at his office  
 (over the Agricultural Bank) and settle  
 at once, as I am needing the money.

C. D. CRAM.

(3t)

## ASSIGNEE'S SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE SCHOOL PROPERTY,  
 LOTS, ETC.

By virtue of a judgment of sale ren-  
 dered by the Bourbon Circuit Court, in  
 the action of Mary W. Berry's assignee,  
 plaintiff, vs. Mary W. Berry, etc., de-  
 fendants, the undersigned will, on

Thursday, May 13th, 1897,

on the premises, beginning at 1 o'clock,  
 p. m., expose to public sale the property  
 known as "Paris Classical Institute,"  
 consisting of 3.87 acres of land fronting  
 on Sycamore St., in Paris, Ky., and  
 bounded by Short St. on one side and  
 the home-place of J. D. Butler on the  
 other. This is an excellent opportunity  
 to continue a well established school in  
 Paris. The property will be offered as  
 a whole first, and then in 16 subdivi-  
 sions, 15 of which make fine building  
 lots, and the 16th will consist of a par-  
 cel of land 180 ft. in length and 175  
 ft. in width, and having thereon the  
 college property, a large stable and  
 other buildings. If No. 16 is not pur-  
 chased for school purposes, it can be  
 converted into 3 or 4 adjoining dwell-  
 ings and rented to great advantage.  
 Also at the same time and place the  
 undersigned will expose to public sale

Large quantity house-  
 hold, kitchen and  
 school furniture, in-  
 cluding bedroom sets,  
 carpets, matings, ta-  
 bles, chairs, desks, etc.

TERMS: The real-estate will be sold  
 upon credits of 6 and 12 months, and  
 the personal property upon credits of 4  
 months; all purchasers to execute bond  
 with good surety to be approved by the  
 undersigned, bearing 6 per cent. interest  
 from date, and the purchaser may pay  
 cash.

ROBT. C. TALBOTT,

Assignee of Mary W. Berry.

(4may-2t.)

## Look Before You Buy,

And remember we guarantee more for your money  
 than you can buy elsewhere, or your money refund-  
 ed—and you to be the judge of it.

Buy your shoes of us and get one of the beautiful  
 medallion pictures FREE. See them on exhibition at  
 our store.

DAVIS, THOMSON &amp; ISGRIG.

## NEW BLACK DRESS GOODS.

JUST ARRIVED FROM THE  
 IMPORTER

## 30 Pieces of Black Dress Goods,

Including such choice weaves as Eta-  
 mines, Chantillions, Coverts, Grenadines,  
 Figured, Twilled and Plain Mohairs,  
 Serges, &c.

Call and see these goods.

PRICES THE LOWEST.

Hamburgs at greatly reduced prices.

G. TUCKER.

529 Main St., Paris, Ky.

## CONDON'S.

A great deal of talk is being created by the  
 extraordinary bargains now being offered by  
 us, and the following prices will command the  
 attention of every careful buyer:

Spring Dress Goods in all the less Hosiery, at 10c and 15c  
 newest effects—strictly all wool—at Others get 25c for the same goods  
 25c and 39c, worth double.

We will still sell our finest Dress  
 Patterns in black and colors at \$4.  
 some of them are marked \$6, \$8  
 and \$10.

Table Linens, Towels and Nap-  
 kins are our specialty, and we will  
 save you 25c on the dollar, if you  
 buy them from us.

G. D. Corsets, 50c, 75c and \$1,  
 are the best in the world for the  
 price.

Ladies and Children's full seam-

See the new portraits we enlarge free of  
 charge.

## HOW'S THIS?

Patent Flour	\$5.25 bbl
Eating Potatoes, Irish	25 c. bu.
Yellow Jersey Seed, sweet	\$1.50 bbl
Southern Queen seed, sweet	\$1.50 bbl
Red Bermudas	\$2.00 bbl

For Cash only, this week.

O. EDWARDS,

Paris, Ky.

FASHIONABLE TAILORING!

WE HAVE RECEIVED A SPLENDID STOCK OF

IMPORTED SUITINGS AND TROUSERINGS

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

Our Prices are lower than any house in Central Kentucky, when  
 quality and style are considered





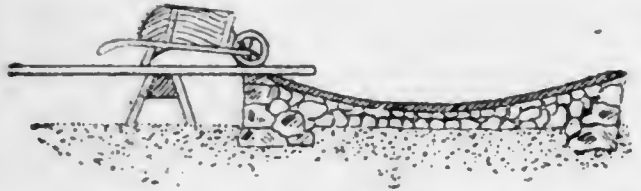


## AGRICULTURAL HINTS

## STABLE DRESSING.

Valuable Hints About Preserving It in Good Condition.

We hear much about the desirability of manure cellars, covered barnyards, manure sheds and other covered quarters for housing dressing until one is ready to apply it to the land; but the fact remains that the average farmer who is not now blessed with one of these means of preserving manure at its best, does not, in nine cases out of ten, see his way clear to provide himself with one of them. The barn that is now without a cellar cannot easily be fitted out with this desirable adjunct. Building additional roofs to cover stable manure is not looked upon with favor in these days when every dollar has



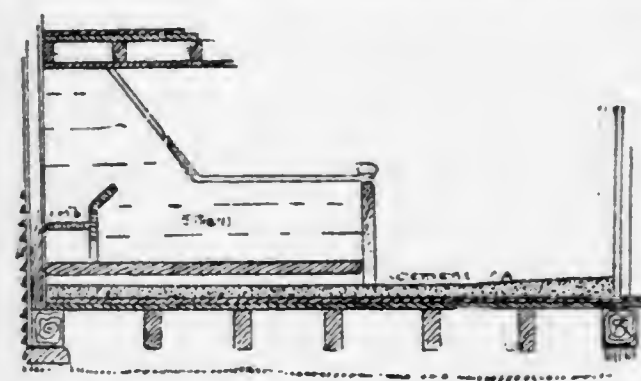
FOUNDATION FOR MANURE HEAP.

its appointed mission marked out for it, even before it is received.

It is all very well to describe ideal conditions, but it seems to me that more good is often done in describing conditions that are less than ideal, but still serviceable, practical and easily within the reach of all.

With this end in view, I present a sectional view of a homemade foundation for a manure heap in the open air, which will keep the manure in a condition very nearly at its best. This foundation is made just far enough away from the stable to escape any drip from the caves. It is made square or round, as may be preferred, and has a rough stone wall about the outer edge extending down below the frost line. Within this, over the surface of the ground, are placed loose stones, lowest in the center, as shown. A coat of cement, two inches thick, is placed over them, the surface thus being made saucer-shaped.

To this foundation is wheeled the manure from the cow and horse stalls, the latter being spread evenly over the



CEMENT AND BOARD FLOOR.

former. If the heap should begin to heat, let it be drenched with water, either from a near-by well or from the eaves-trough of the barn. (Often the manure heap can be located so that water can be conveyed directly upon it from the pump by means of a spout.)

Cow manure is considered cold and slow to heat, but it has been my experience that where all the liquids are saved with the solids, the mass is much more likely to heat. Where heat is generated, and water can be turned on as needed, decay will take place very rapidly, and the manure will soon be in a condition to become readily available for the use of plants. With such a foundation, and with water at hand to apply as needed, the dressing will lose little or none of its valuable elements, entirely unadvised of it.

I present also a diagram showing the plan I have recently adopted in a village stable for saving the solids and liquids without loss. Two cow and two horse stalls occupy a closed room by themselves in one end of the stable. I desired a cement floor here, but could not well make its foundation upon the ground, as the stable sets well up from the ground. I therefore laid a double board floor, sloping it toward the rear. Upon this double floor was laid a coat of cement, following the pitch of the floor to a point a little behind the stalls, at A. From that point it pitches the other way till the partition is reached, as shown in the diagram.

The platforms of the stalls are raised several inches above the inclined cement floor. All the liquid that runs through the platforms will be conducted down the inclined cement floor to the point A, where it soaks into a lot of litter, sawdust, etc., with which the floor behind the stalls is kept covered.

I present this plan because it can well be adopted in barns and stables already built, the incline being secured in the coating of cement, since the board floor will be level.

A thin coat of cement behind the stalls would be injured by the sharp shoes of horses, but this will not occur if the cement is kept well covered with absorbents, that are removed as they become saturated. Without some such arrangement as this, a large part of the liquid manure is likely to leak down through the floor and be lost in the ground beneath, or become a menace to health if the stable be adjacent to one's house or well.

Both of these plans that are figured call for no expenditure of money except for the cement that is needed, and this is not large in amount.—Country Gentleman.

## Early Potato Blight.

The early blight of potatoes does not cause the tubers to rot. A more or less rapid drying and curling of the leaves and stems marks the presence of the disease. The edges of the leaves are first visibly affected; the color changes to a yellowish brown, while the central parts of the leaflets gradually become lighter green, or even yellow, and more or less spotted. The early blight of potatoes may be treated with partial success by means of the Bordeaux mixture. The vines should be sprayed when about two-thirds grown, and the application should be repeated as often as necessary, the foliage at all times being well covered with the mixture.—Western Plowman.

## DRINKING FOUNTAINS.

A Homemade Contrivance Which Has Worked Very Well.

In caring for young chickens, ducks, poultry, etc., one often has difficulty in keeping water before them in sufficient quantities, and at the same time keep it pure and fresh. Many arrangements have been contrived to obviate the difficulty, all working with more or less success. Probably the most successful is the drinking fountain gotten up on the principle of the siphon. The market is well stocked with several patterns, all on the same general principle, but varying in lesser details.

Probably one of the most popular is the earthen fountain. It has the advantage over some others in having thicker sides and is less liable to be affected by heat or cold. One of the most serious objections we have to this make is the difficulty in cleaning. In this respect there are others far ahead. The earthen fountain will not work successfully during severe weather, especially if it is so situated that there is danger of freezing. Like an earthen crock, a good stiff freeze-up will ruin it.

There is still another make gotten up on the same idea but made of galvanized iron. This one has the advantage over the other during freezing weather, but otherwise the same disadvantage that will apply to one will to the other.

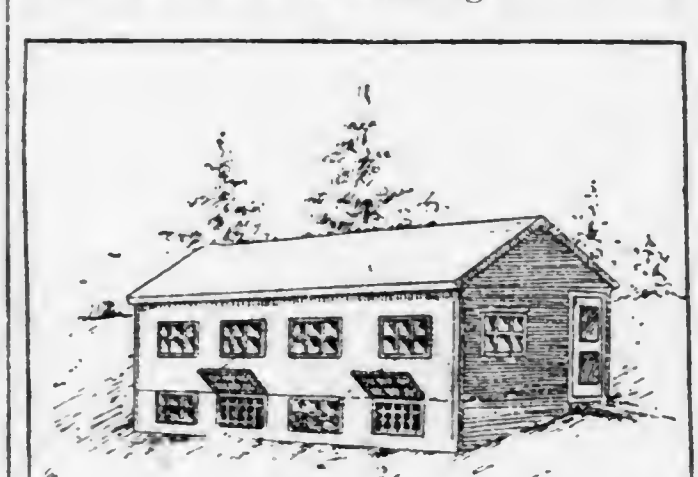
We have noted another make gotten up on the same principle but on an altogether different pattern. This one, which is also made of galvanized iron, has a false cover fitting over the ear proper and extends down into the water about the base. Such a fountain has every convenience of the others and the additional advantage of being readily cleaned.

For the past two or three years we have been using one of our own contrivance, which ordinarily works very satisfactory. We used an ordinary crock, boring a small hole through the side about 1½ inches from the top. The crock is then filled with water and a shallow dish placed over the top, with sides sufficiently high to allow the water to rise just above the aperture in the crock. The crock and dish are then inverted and if everything has been done properly, you will have practically just as good a fountain for the ordinary poultry yard as some more expensive ones. This will be found to be very satisfactory in the yard with young stock, especially with young turkeys. By its use the youngsters are not apt to become wet.—C. P. Reynolds, in Ohio Farmer.

## ROOMY POULTRY HOUSE.

Its Construction and Advantages Described in Detail.

Where one can build his poultry house upon a southern slope, the plan shown in the accompanying illustration will be found particularly convenient. The building can be of any length desired—to accommodate one or a dozen flocks—the construction is the same in any case. The north side has posts shorter than those upon the south side, which gives from three to four feet of space beneath the building proper. This is utilized as a scratching-room for the fowls in cold and stormy weather. A small opening in the floor on the north side of the main floor admits to this scratching-room. Ex-



PRACTICAL POULTRY HOUSE.

tra large windows are placed in the front of this scratching apartment, both for the purpose of giving plenty of light, sunshine and fresh air, and to make access to these low spaces convenient. Any litter, dressing, etc., that one wishes to remove, can be raked to the window from the outside, and removed. The windows are hinged at the top, and can be raised from the windows above, by cords. Inside the lower windows are stretched gratings or wire netting. With the window open, the scratching-room has all the advantages of an open scratching shed, so highly recommended of late, without the open scratching shed's disadvantages of becoming filled with drifting snow and of having no protection in cold or raw weather.

Such a plan, at a very slight added expense, nearly doubles the room in a poultry-house, enabling the owner to keep nearly double the number of fowls under the same roof that he could keep without this added room below.—Country Gentleman.

## LIVE-STOCK POINTERS.

If there are ticks on the sheep dig them and the lambs when the shearer is done.

Teach the little pigs to eat as soon as possible and feed them skim-milk, all they will eat.

As a lamb is perhaps the most difficult of all animals to recuperate after once strayed, it pays to keep thrifty.

It is well to remember with all classes of stock that it is better to keep one good thrifty animal than two poor ones. Wool is a product that does not take fertility from the soil, but actually adds to the value of the soil for grain-growing.

It will be an exceptional case when it can be considered advisable to allow the stock to pasture in the meadows at this time.

Besides the profitability of growing the better animals, there is the advantage in that there is always a demand for such stock.

While a high-grade animal of any kind may develop into a good-sized, valuable animal, yet for breeding purposes will always lack one essential feature, and that is pedigree.

## THOSE "GOOD OLD TIMES."

Old-Timer Who Says They Didn't Compare with the New Times.

"Don't talk to me of 'the good old times,'" said the old-timer. "I know all about it. And I tell you these new times are better in every way than the times that are past. Let me tell you:

"In those days people drank green tea and ate heavy suppers and went to bed with warming pans and nightcaps and slept upon feather beds, with curtains around them, and dreading fresh air in their rooms as much as sensible folks nowadays dread to be without it. And if they heard a noise in the night they got up and groped about in the dark and procured a light with much difficulty, with flint and steel and tinder box and unpleasant sulphur matches. And went to the medicine chest and took calomel and blue pills and salts and senna and jalap and rhubarb."

"In those days the fine gentlemen tipped old Jannacia and bitters in the morning and lawyers took their clients to the sideboard for a dram, while the fine ladies lounged on sofas, reading Byron, Moore and Scott. In those days long leather fire buckets were hung in the entries, filled with water, and when a fire broke out every citizen was a fireman."

"In those days gentlemen chewed tobacco, indifferent where they expected, and ladies cleaned their dental pearls with snuff, wore thin shoes and laced themselves into feminine wasps and consumption. Babies were put to sleep with spanking and paregoric and arches were flogged at school and subjected to all sorts of unheard-of chastisements. Picture books and toys were dear and poor. Big boys played 'hokey' in the streets with crooked sticks and hard wooden balls, policemen being unknown, and went home to their mothers to have broken shins anointed with opodeldoe."

"Street fights occurred between schools and schoolmasters were persecuted by the biggest boys. Young ladies danced nothing but formal and and decorous cotillions or fast and furious Virginia reels, in wide entry halls, by the light of the candles that called for snuffers every ten minutes, to music by black fiddlers or cracked and jingling panes, while mothers sat darning stockings and fathers played backgammon, or gambled, swigged brandy and water, came home late, roaring bacchanalian songs and inquiring of their sleepy wives in which brown parcel the milk was wrapped up."

"Boarding school misses, in calico gowns, practiced the 'Battle of Prague,' 'Caliph of Bagdad' or 'Clement's Sonatas' on instruments not much bigger than a modern young lady's traveling trunk, strung with jingling wires that were always snapping, and occasionally chirped 'Tom Moore's Melodies' or such airs as 'Gayly the Troubadour,' 'Pray, Papa, Stay a Little Longer,' or 'The Banks of the Blue-oo-oo Mosche-he-he-helle.'"

"Guests sat on hard wooden chairs, sometimes with their feet up, over roaring wood fires, 'spitting' around and makin' 'emself sociable with juleps, egg-nogg, apples and cider."

"Every man shaved, wore a bell-crown hat, a swallow-tail coat with a horse-collar; carried a turban-shaped timekeeper in his waist-band, with a heavy seal hanging out; had his breeches pockets full of silver half-dollars; wore round-toed boots and linen shirts; cased his throat with high-standing shirt collars; ate all manner of nauseous quack medicines; dined at one o'clock (some families eating the pudding before the meat); took naps in the afternoon—on Sundays preferring the pews of the church for that purpose; smoked 'long nines'; ate fried oysters and lobster salad and drank fiery Madeira or punch at 12 o'clock at night. Got his feet wet on slushy days, took awful colds and rheumatisms, sent for Dr. Sangrado, and was bled, blistered and leeches; had nightmare, headache, dyspepsia, fever, delirium, death and darkened room."

"Give me the good old times again—not!"—N. Y. Herald.

## HIS ROMANCE.

He Found Her Changed After Four Years' Absence.

"Of course there's romance in my life," asserted Fromer, when it was intimated that there was nothing of sentiment in his composition.

"I felt when I saw her, 'tis she or none on earth," is what Schiller wrote in his 'Bride of Messina.' That is exactly what I felt when I met the woman of my romance. Nobody can describe a woman. You can rave about her classic features, her sparkling eyes, her neck like a pillar of marble touched with life, the graceful knot that she twists to a crown of beauty, and all that kind of rant; but after it is done you can meet the woman and not know her. When I can picture a soul I'll go into the lunatics."

"Of course I was young when I met her. Otherwise I would have shown some slight imitation of sense and surrendered by degrees. Love at first sight is not uncommon, but it is restrained by a sense of propriety, by a sense of pride, or by some other modifying influence. Every force in my being was cooperative. All impelled me to fall in love. There was no check and I fell to the very depths."

"She refused me very prettily and very properly. I asked her if I could cherish no hope, intimating that to deprive me of hope would be immediately fatal. She gave me a very scant allowance. Then I went proudly away to win a fortune that I might lay at her feet as an additional inducement. In four years I returned. The woman was there, just as I had left her, but not my ideal. While I was trying for moral strength enough to recall my vows she was mustering courage sufficient to tell me she was engaged to another man. She spoke first. Then I was so mad at the other fellow, whom I should have blessed, that I insisted she had broken my heart."—St. Louis Republic.

## FARO WAS KING.

It Was the Rage in Washington During Buchanan's Term.

Faro was king at the national capital during James Buchanan's term. The most pretentious gambler of them all was Joe Hall, whose midnight suppers Lucullus would have made haste to envy could he have tasted the canvas-back duck stuffed with chestnuts, and the side dish of Virginia hominy done brown, in butter garnished with bacon from Accomac, fed on acorns. Silver goblets like "motley" were the only "wear" for champagne, says a Washington correspondent.

There were no clubhouses, so called, in ante-bellum days in Washington. And here, up to the fall of Sumter, the south and north, no matter how acrid the day's debate in congress, when the members met before Joe Hall's or George Pendleton's green baize table, on Pennsylvania avenue, all on pleasure bent, they "let silence like a poultice fall and heal the blows" of political strife and sound!

Joe Hall, who died very poor, in Baltimore during the war, was in the last generation the most magnificent and most continuously successful "high-roller" among the "gamboliers" of America. His horses, with gold-tipped harness, were the cynosure of all eyes. In Philadelphia he ran a gambling house on Walnut, above Eleventh, north side, from 1856 till the war broke out. Here Thaddeus Stevens, the great commoner of Pennsylvania, hobbled with James A. Bayard, of Delaware, and the handsome Ellis Schnable, who, with "Bill" Witte, of Philadelphia, made two of the best all-round stump orators of whom the Keystone democracy ever boasted.

If stiff and sore, St. Jacobs Oil will cure you. Won't lose a day. The cure is sure.

Some men's only virtue is that they go to bed early.—Washington Democrat.

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Saving does not make nearly everybody rich.—Washington Democrat.

It may come last, but St. Jacobs Oil is the best to cure sprains. It ought to be first.

People kick when a show is too long and also when it is too short.—Washington Democrat.

## THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, May 10.	
LIVE ST'K—Cattle—common	2 75 @ 3 25
do. butchers	4 00 @ 4 50
CALVES—Fair to good light	5 00 @ 5 75
HOGS—common	3 00 @ 3 75
Mixed packers	3 50 @ 3 90
Light shippers	3 80 @ 3 95
SHEEP—choice	4 75 @ 5 25
LAMBS—spring	5 00 @ 6 50
FLOUR—Winter family	3 75 @ 3 85
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	91 @ 91 1/2
do. No. 3 red	87 @ 87 1/2
do. No. 2 mixed	89 @ 89 1/2
Oats—No. 2	20 1/2 @ 21
Rye—No. 2	36 @ 36 1/2
HAY—Prime to choice	11 75 @ 12 00
PROVISIONS—Mess pork	8 @ 8 1/2
Lard—Prime steam	8 @ 8 1/2
BUTTER—Choice dairy	16 @ 16 1/2
Prime to choice creamery	8 @ 8 1/2
APPLES—Per bbl.	2 25 @ 2 50
POTATOES—Per bbl.	1 00 @ 1 10

NEW YORK.	
FLOUR—Winter patent	4 60 @ 4 85
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 1 north	79 1/2 @ 79 3/4
do. No. 2 red	78 1/2 @ 79 1/4
CORN—No. 2 mixed	29 1/2 @ 29 3/4
OATS—Mixed	24 1/2 @ 24 3/4
PORK—New mess	8 75 @ 9 50
LARD—Western	4 25 @ 4 39

CHICAGO.	
FLOUR—Winter patent	4 40 @ 4 60
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	90 1/2 @ 92 1/4
do. No. 2 Chicago spring	7 1/2 @ 7 3/4
CORN—No. 2	24 1/2 @ 24 3/4
OATS—Mixed	17 @ 17 1/4
PORK—Mess	8 @ 8 1/2
LARD—Steam	4 @ 4 1/2

BALTIMORE.	
FLOUR—Family	3 99 @ 4 25
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2	79 1/2 @ 79 3/4
Corn—Mixed	28 1/2 @ 29
Oats—Mixed	24 1/2 @ 25
LARD—Refined	11 1/2 @ 12
PORK—Mess	16 @ 16 1/2
CATTLE—First quality	4 15 @ 4 50
HOGS—Western	4 40 @ 4 45

INDIANAPOLIS.	
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2	80 @ 80
Corn—No. 2 mixed	24 @ 24
Oats—No. 2 mixed	19 1/2 @ 19 1/2

LOUISVILLE.	
FLOUR—Winter patent	3 75 @ 4 00
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	92 @ 92 1/2
Corn—Mixed	28 @ 28 1/2
Oats—Mixed	24 @ 24 1/2
PORK—Mess	9 @ 9 1/2
LARD—Steam	4 @ 4 1/2



The papers are full of deaths from

**Heart Failure**

Of course

the heart fails to act when a man dies, but "Heart Failure," so called, nine times out of ten is caused by Uric Acid in the blood which the Kidneys fail to remove, and which corrodes the heart until it becomes unable to perform its functions.

Health Officers in many cities very properly refuse to accept "Heart Failure," as a cause of death. It is frequently a sign of ignorance in the physician, or may be given to cover up the real cause.

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Before using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, my health was practically undermined. I suffered untold agony from painful menstruation, backache, pain on top of my head and ovarian trouble. I concluded to try Mrs. Pinkham's Compound, and found that it was all a woman needs who suffers with painful monthly periods. It entirely cured me.

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Mrs. MARGARET ANDERSON, 363 Lisbon St., Lewiston, Me.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me of painful menstruation and backache. The pain in my back was dreadful, and the agony I suffered during menstruation nearly drove me wild.

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## HUTCHISON

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Dr. James Logan, of Lexington, is visiting Dr. Wm. Gragg.

Myall Lowe and Catlett Hutsell left yesterday for Alaska to join the Hutchison colony.

Eugene Gragg and wife, of Harrison, are visiting friends and relatives in this neighborhood.

Miss Bessie Rogers is able to be out again, having about recovered from the effects of a recent fall.

Bev W. Dorsey has bought an acre of land from Moreland Lodge and will build a residence in the near future.

The members of the W. C. T. U. of Fayette county, will hold their annual convention at Antioch Church, on Friday, May 14th, beginning at 10 o'clock, a. m. The contest for the gold medal will be held at Antioch Church Friday night.

## New Laundry Agency.

I HAVE secured the agency for the Winchester Power Laundry—a first-class institution—and solicit a share of the public patronage. Work or orders left at Clarke & Clay's drug-store will receive immediate attention. Work called for and delivered promptly.

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7 a. m. 64  
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10 a. m. 71  
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12 m. 74  
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